

THE EDITOR SAYS—

The Standard editor made a hurried visit to Mrs. Blanton in St. Luke's hospital Tuesday and found her just out of the operating room after being given a thorough examination and was feeling pretty bad. Mrs. Blanton feels very grateful for the remembrance of flowers and letters of encouragement sent to her and just as soon as possible will acknowledge same.

The J. T. Bruce family are grateful to friends for their aid and sympathy in the recent untimely death of Mrs. J. T. Bruce. They also wish to thank the pall bearers, those who sent the beautiful flowers, and Rev. Thane for his consoling words. In times of death these favors are more appreciated than words can express.

Mrs. Dona Myers Brown, of Flint, Mich., shed sunshine on the editor's gloom Monday afternoon by a nice visit to the office. She had just returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Taylor at Hot Springs, Ark., and to the former Marjorie Smith at Memphis, Tenn.

Miss Easternelle Dew, of St. Louis, honored the editor with a visit Monday afternoon. She is in Southeast Missouri to spend a short vacation with relatives over about Diehlstadt and friends in Sikeston. We enjoyed her visit very much.

It was very fine of Paul Witt to remember the editor with the largest watermelon that we have seen this season. It was one of those great big round striped fellows.

Tuesday morning at 5:00 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Watkins, Mrs. Mary Griffith and C. L. Blanton, Sr., left Sikeston for Jefferson City, Ark. at Farmington breakfast was had and soon after 10:00 arrived in Jefferson City, delivered Mrs. Griffith at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. A. Wilson, then paid our respects to Wilbur Buford, then unloaded five large Southeast Missouri watermelons to friends in the Capitol building, lunched where we met John Ferguson of Public Service Commission, then hurried to St. Louis for a short visit with Mrs. Blanton at St. Luke's hospital, to the Lennox Hotel where we expected to meet a Federal Inspector but found he was in Sikeston awaiting our return. At 6:00 o'clock dinner at suppers, and started for Sikeston at 7:00 arriving home at 10:45 after traveling 650 miles without a single accident except to our pocketbook for gas, oil and food. Some trip in a short space of time.

Judge Ernest S. Gantt, of Jefferson City, wishes to express his appreciation to all Southeast Missourians who honored him with their vote in the recent primary.

This man Ed Albright, has been known for years to be the raiser of large and juicy watermelons that are almost good enough to make a man rob the patch. Anyway, Wednesday forenoon he left one of these big striped beauties in The Standard office that gladdened the entire force. Then the manager of The Wolf Furniture store, Mrs. Lee Trebbe, kindly let us use a big refrigerator to cool the melon. Thanks.

If a few picture houses in the United States would ask the distributing houses to omit from their list any picture in which Mary Astor is shown it would do much to clarify the morals of movie actresses—maybe. From her own testimony as printed in the papers she appears to be just a high type bawd.

Recently a young man now living in Detroit but formerly of Dunklin county and who was a Republican and from a Republican family, visited Southeast Missouri relatives, stated that he and his wife expected to vote for Mr. Roosevelt this Fall as was 90 per cent of the workmen in the plant where he was employed as it was through the New Deal that made it possible for labor to be employed, and for the farmer and business man to be able to carry. This gentleman also stated that the owners and head men were not for Roosevelt but the laboring man was. This is one of the straws that shows which way the wind blows.

John Matthews, formerly known to his friends here as "Little" John Matthews, now connected with Wells-Fargo Express Company in St. Louis, is spending the week-end with his foster mother, Mrs. Jos. W. Myers. John says he has a foster father, but he is not worth mentioning, but this mother is wonderful. In years past John was one of the leading farmers of Southeast Missouri, had a wonderful organization and knew how to handle his employees and make a success of it, but fate interfered with his activity as a farmer and he was forced to seek other fields of activity. The Express Company was lucky in getting him. We wonder if the Express Company knows his ability in the handling of their employees and doing their work.

Miss Myra Tanner returned Wednesday from Cairo, where she had been the guest of Mrs. V. J. Rees since Sunday.

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Woman Killed, 3 Hurt in Automobile Wreck Near Here

Mrs. Albert Gammon, 46-year-old trained nurse of Springfield, Mo., was killed and her three companions were injured, two of them seriously, when Mrs. Gammon lost control of the car she was driving east on Highway 60 near Morehouse Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Gammon died a few moments after the accident of internal injuries that caused internal bleeding. She received a spine injury and severe bruises.

Her daughter, Mrs. Anna Marie Wells, 22, also of Springfield, is in Southeast Missouri hospital at Cape Girardeau suffering from internal injuries, a broken shoulder, and numerous cuts and bruises. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gammon, the dead woman's parents-in-law, were also hurt. Mrs. Gammon, who is 66 years old, is also in Southeast Missouri hospital recovering from a severe head injury that raised a great knot above her left eye and from lacerations and bruises on her left leg and hands. Her husband, 77, escaped with minor injuries. Both Mrs. Gammon and Mrs. Wells were reported Wednesday night to be suffering intensely from their wounds. They are expected to recover.

The four had left their homes in Springfield at 4 o'clock Wednesday morning intending to drive to a town near Nashville, Tenn., to see relatives of Mrs. H. J. Gammon. Shortly afterwards, they neared Sikeston, but 200 yards west of Little river bridge, Mrs. Albert Gammon tried to pass a car being driven east by Herb Walton and occupied by L. J. Wilkerson of Cape Girardeau. The left front wheel slipped off the pavement into a four-inch-deep rut, and in trying to get the automobile back onto the pavement, Mrs. Gammon lost control of it. It zigzagged to the south side of the highway, jumped a deep ditch, plunged through a fence, and landed on its top in a corn field after rolling over five or six times and was headed west.

None of the occupants was thrown from the car, Mrs. Wells remaining in the front seat and her grandparents in the rear. Mrs. Gammon died soon after she was taken from the wreckage. Her body was brought to Sikeston, and the three other persons were rushed to Cape Girardeau in the Albritton ambulance.

Albert Gammon, Jr., a son of the dead woman arrived Wednesday night and arranged for her body to be sent to Springfield Thursday for burial.

28,000 MISSOURIANS GET AGE PENSIONS

Jefferson City, Mo., August 12.—Missouri—adding 7000 of them in the last 30 days—today had 28,000 old people on its pension rolls and contemplated putting on other applicants at the rate of 1000 a week.

Forrest Smith, State Auditor, said he had added a staff of 17 persons to supplement his day staff in certification of the checks for approved applicants.

Smith said he had been informed by Allen M. Thompson, State Old Age Pension Commissioner, that the rest of the applicants would be added at the rate of 1000 a week, the Old Age Assistance Department as well as the State Auditor's office has been working nights in certifying the 7000 in the last month.

Thompson, who a month ago suspended a retroactive clause of the state pension law to enable Missouri to secure dollar-for-dollar matching from the Federal Government in the program, said he expected to increase the pension rolls to 54,000 by November.

ALL-STAR BEAT SENATH TO PLAY DOWELL SUNDAY

By Leo Smith

The newly organized Sikeston baseball club defeated the Senath Redbirds Sunday by a score of 3 to 2 before a crowd of about 1000 spectators.

Glen Ault pitched for the locals and allowed 9 hits although he kept them scattered and could break down when the going got tough. The locals garnered 16 hits, including a homer by big Jim Miller, off of three opposing hurlers. Ault and Miller were the leading hitters for the locals, each getting 3 hits. Harrison got 3 hits for Senath.

On Sunday, Sikeston will play the Dowell, Ill., Katheens, a really fast ball club that defeated the Illinois Bucks 4 to 1 Sunday. The local all-star team will be chosen from the following players: Miller, Ault, May, Hudson, Mast, Cokenauer, Dace, Swaim, Crain, Morrow, Bandy, Rogers, Kindred, Slaw, Beaird, Law, and Sherry. The game will start at 3 o'clock.

Ellise Attends Undertakers' Meet

Arden Ellise went to Cape Girardeau Wednesday night to attend a dinner meeting of the Southeast Missouri Funeral Directors' Association at the Colonial tavern.

HERBERT FICK TO WED RESIDENT OF KENNETT

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss June Karsten of Kennett to Herbert G. E. Fick of Kennett, formerly of Sikeston.

Friends learned of the engagement at a luncheon Mrs. Orville Zimmerman, an aunt of the bride-to-be, gave at her home last Friday. The marriage will take place in October.

Mr. Fick is a representative of the Doane Agricultural Service. He lived here more than a year before his transfer in 1935.

FOUR TO BE TRIED FOR MURDER AT CRAP GAME

Four men of the Bell City community were bound over to the Stoddard county circuit court Wednesday for trial on charges of killing Fred Fulkerson, a 35-year-old mule dealer of Morehouse. Fulkerson was beaten to death at Popperstown, eight miles south of Belle City, July 26 after he and his uncle had won \$18 from the men in a crap game.

The four defendants, Orville Lee, and Lon Mayberry, brothers, and L. N. Irvin, admitted fighting with the two men but denied using any weapons. Sheriff George Barham, who had the four in jail soon after the murder, said it was apparent Fulkerson had been hit in the head with a club. A fifth man was released after questioning.

NEGRO IS CHARGED WITH SLASHING WIFE'S NECK

A hearing for Walter Smith, a negro accused of assaulting his wife Sunday, was continued in Judge William S. Smith's court Thursday. Prosecuting Attorney W. P. Wilkerson was in the circuit court at Benton.

Smith is charged with wounding his wife with a knife. She is now recovering at a friend's home from a severe cut across the back of her neck.

Judge Joseph W. Myers find John Cole \$25 for driving a truck without a P. S. C. permit.

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SOME PEOPLE ACT LIKE HOGS OTHERS DON'T HAVE TO ACT.

FOOTBALL PRACTICE TO START MONDAY EVENING

W. E. Mahew announced yesterday that regular preliminary football practice will begin Monday evening.

Sessions at which recruits and former players will take limbering exercises and will learn again the game's fundamentals will be held each Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday night, beginning at 7:30.

Mahew said he was not certain how many boys would report next week, but he expected almost all who intend to play with the 1936 team. "It's necessary that the men who want places on the squad report for training now," he said, "because this practice will either make them or break them."

This year's team will have many former lettermen, Mahew will be assisted by Tharon Stallings.

60 CADDIES TO PLAY IN GOLF TOURNAMENT TODAY

Between fifty and sixty caddies of seven Southeast Missouri country clubs are expected here today (Friday) for a first annual caddy golf tournament.

George W. Kirk, who is directing the tournament, said caddies from Cape Girardeau, Poplar Bluff, Hayti, Charleston, Dexter, Hillcrest, and Sikeston will be here this morning for the qualifying rounds, which will determine their entrance in the championship class and Classes A and B. Kennett may send a group of players.

Prizes will be awarded for first and second place in each division, for the lowest score on any one round, and for the largest number of birdies made on any round.

ALL NEGRO CHILDREN ARE URGED TO ATTEND SCHOOL

Superintendent Roy V. Ellise issued a statement Thursday urging negroes who live in cabins in town to send their children to the Sunset school.

Most negro children who do not live in the addition are attending classes each day, but the parents of some allowed them to stay at home. It is important that all negro children take class work offered at Sunset, Mr. Ellise said.

MIDWEST TO DISTRIBUTE BLATZ PRODUCTS HERE

The Blatz Brewing Company of Milwaukee, Wis., announced yesterday the appointment of the Midwest Products Company here as distributor of its products in the Sikeston district.

"We're pleased indeed that we have been appointed as distributors in Sikeston for the Blatz Brewing Company," Ted Kirby, manager of the Midwest plant, said after reading the announcement. "The company is one of the best known of the Milwaukee breweries, and it is an old reliable firm that has been in the business of producing finest quality beverages since 1851."

Blatz products will be distributed by members of the Midwest staff.

13,000 IN CCC CAMPS SECURED JOBS IN JUNE

A report that nearly 13,000 members of the Civilian Conservation Corps left to accept private jobs during June has just been made public by Robert Fechner, director, with the comment that this was largely attributable to "a general improvement in business conditions."

Explaining that the practical type of education given the young men also was responsible, Director Fechner said the 12,995 discharged during the month was the largest group since the camps were reduced to a maximum of 350,000. Total discharges during the year ending June 30 were 145,531, a monthly average of more than 12,000.

"The increased emphasis which has been placed in recent months upon job training instruction in the CCC camps," he added, "has opened the way for many members to find outside employment."

Marrs Retains Title By Defeating Myers

Johnny Marrs kept his title of southern light heavyweight champion Tuesday night after his second match here following his return from a tour of deep south cities.

Marrs lost the first fall of his Tuesday match to Lee Meyers, and almost lost a chance for a decision when Meyers threw him from the ring, but his ability to win the second and third falls and Meyers' own action saved him.

Meyers took the first fall in twenty-five minutes with a stub toe hold, and Marrs won the second in twenty with a body straddle and the third in fifteen with a crabhold. Meyers, who is a former light heavyweight champion, made a good showing. One time he forced Marrs into the ropes, and soon afterward, he managed to throw Marrs from the ring, an act that is supposed to bar a defending champion from winning a decision. Meyers obliterated his achievement, however, by fouling Marrs before Marrs could return to the ring and so spared him defeat.

In the preliminary, Doc Poole defeated Hyalmar Bjorstandtz, a Norwegian, in two straight falls, taking the first in ten minutes with a body pin and the second in four with a crabhold. Bjorstandtz, who was no match for Poole, was strained severely by the second hold.

Matches will start at 8:30 hereafter instead of at 8:15.

Indian Found With Still Sings In Jail

William Fobar, 29 year old Indian who traces his ancestry back to the tribes that once roamed the state of Illinois is singing an Indian lullaby in the Butler county jail today. Or perhaps it is the Indian Love Call. Anyhow William is singing and it may be just the blues.

William was all set to become the best equipped Indian medicine man in the business last Monday. He walked the streets of Poe, Missouri, with his chest thrown out as if he owned the town.

Two old friends of William met him on the street. He recognized them as he had a most vivid picture of these two gentlemen in his mind as most Indians do when suspicious of any of their paleface acquaintances.

"How's tricks, Willie? What do you know? Are there any new stills around here that you know about?" the men who happened to be two of Uncle Sam's liquor control agents, queried.

"Don't know of a one, in fact, I'm positive there are none to be found in the county," William answered. The federal agents smiled at Willie and replied, "Well, son-of-a-bitch, we'll be seeing you."

And they did. Just 12 hours later as William walked up to a triple steam still outfit capable of producing 150 gallons of whiskey at a "run." The agents concealed themselves in the weeds near the outfit four miles south of Poe in Stoddard county at 9 a. m. yesterday morning. About 8 a. m. Willie, armed with a high powered German rifle, walked up to the still. The agents stepped out into the open and startled William said, "Well, here I am boys. You said you'd be seeing me, but I didn't think it would be this soon. Here's my gun and that's my still. It's all over now."

Willie's still was the fifty-seventh taken by federal agents in this section since the first of the year. Since August, 1935, 102 have been taken and destroyed.

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Willie, who gave his occupation as a farmer, had 110 barrels of mash in his possession and was getting ready to run 60 gallons of whiskey off when arrested, agents said. He added that he made about \$45 a day in the whiskey business but would not disclose the identity of his customers. Willie was arraigned before United States Commissioner Arno Ponder last night and pleaded guilty to possession of an unregistered still and unlicensed liquor. He was bound over to the October term of Federal Court in Cape Girardeau and is held in Butler county jail for failure to make \$1500 bond.—Reprinted from Thursday's Poplar Bluff Daily American Republic.

Landon Relief Still On "Thin Dime" Base

A report by the internal revenue office at Wichita that Kansas gained 1,085 liquor licenses over last year, having now a total of 4,520, adds points to the shameful situation in which Governor Landon of that state is leaving relief. He stands stoutly against calling a special session of his legislature to aid thousands of Kansas farmers.

Under the farm amendments to the Kansas Constitution, Governor Landon has ample power to create relief. It would seem that after the federal government had expended 300 million dollars for relief in his state, he would turn a hand when he can. Whatever liquor is sold in Kansas with an alcoholic content of more than 1/2 per cent is dispensed illegally, Landon should either close up these 4,520 places or have his legislature pass a liquor tax law and so take the four-year burden of caring for his people off the shoulders of the rest of the nation.

While the federal government has three agencies working in Kansas caring for the immediate needs of the drought victims and building for their future, Landon is fumbling about on minor matters that will not cost Kansas a "thin dime." A great president Landon would make if he were faced with such a national crisis as President Roosevelt met in 1933!

Presbyterian Auxiliary To Meet

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church will meet Monday night, August 17, at the home of Mrs. Ruby Hamby on East Gladys. All members are urged to be present.

Will Honor Visitors From Calif.

Members of the Tanner family will have a picnic supper Saturday evening on the lawn between the homes of Mrs. Ella Tanner and Mrs. Anna Winchester. The affair will be given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tanner and their two children, of Colton, Calif., who arrived here Sunday. The out-of-town relatives who are expected to attend the supper are: Mr. and Mrs. M. Q. Tanner and daughter, Miss Frances, Miss Mary Ellen and Miss Lois Haw, of Webster Groves; Mr. and Mrs. Hal Moore of Cape Girardeau; Dr. and Mrs. John W. Stokes and little daughter Ann, of Mayfield, Ky.; and Mrs. Robert Lillard of Arlington, Ky.

NEGRO CABIN BURNS

A negro cabin behind the Tidwell house on Ruth street burned to the ground Tuesday night. Firemen prevented the spread of flames to nearby buildings.

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OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Mrs. J. H. Keady and Miss Kathryn Clark entertained with a buffet supper Wednesday night in honor of the birth anniversary of Mrs. Keady. The guests were: Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Orser, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dempster and Robert Dempster.

COMPLIMENTS GUEST

John Dover was host to a group of friends Thursday morning at a bicycle party and breakfast in honor of his cousin, Miss Ruth Carroll of St. Louis, who is visiting in the G. H. Dover home.

CLASS ALL-STAR TO PLAY: CAPE MEN TO MEET SIKES

The Junior Chamber of Commerce has scheduled two good softball games for this (Friday) night.

As an opener, the Sikes Hardware team will meet men playing on the Marquette Cement Company team of Cape Girardeau. The second game will be between the Class A and the Class B All-Stars.

Superintendent: "Have you any recommendations showing that you are qualified as a night watchman?"

Applicant: "Yes. Here is my doctor's certificate showing that I have insomnia."

Tall Tales

As told to: FRANK E. HAGAN ELMO SCOTT WATSON

The Absent-Minded Carpenter

WHEN Charles G. Grant, former Ohio newspaper man, was a boy in Columbus he knew a carpenter named J. Elmer Putterbaugh who was just about the best in the business. No job was ever too big for him to tackle, according to Mr. Grant. When J. Elmer took the contract to build a big church over near Washington Court House, he got so interested in his work that he forgot to stop. So the main aisle was so long that they had to have two preachers—one to stand at the altar and marry folks and the other to stand at the front door and christen their first baby as they came out.

Another time J. Elmer's absent-mindedness got him in trouble. He was shingling the roof on a barn when a thick fog came sweeping up the valley from the Ohio river. J. Elmer kept right on shingling and without noticing what he was doing shingled 26 feet of fog before he noticed his mistake.

This turned out to be pretty serious because he fell and broke one of his legs off clean when he tried to get down. As a result he had to have a wooden leg, but when Elmer reached down to scratch his knee cap he'd get a splinter in his finger. That made him so angry that he'd grab his saw and saw his wooden leg right off. It broke him up buying new wooden legs. At last he went to a pauper's grave.

"But they had a hard time keeping him in it," declares Mr. Grant. "You see, J. Elmer was something of a crossroads philosopher—just full of wise saws. His ghost used one of these to saw his way out of the pine box in which they buried him. Folks got pretty tired of having his ghost chasing around at night. So they finally captured it, enclosed it in a box of chilled steel, and from that time on there has been nothing but frozen silence out of J. Elmer Putterbaugh."

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NEW DEAL HAS PAID HANDSOME DIVIDEND

Citing the RFC and its profit the first six months of this year of 17 1/2 million dollars, the Kansas City Star wants to know what other New Deal agency is operating at a profit. The answer is, Mr. Star, they all are. And as an aside, it may be remarked that had the unpaid portion of the Dawes loan Hoover made been received, the RFC profit would have been 7 1/2 millions.

The New Deal as a whole has created 100 billion, some economists say 150 billion dollars, in added income and increased values of businesses and properties since March, 1933. The farmers will have had 5 billion dollars more income compared with 1932 by the end of this year. Their mortgage loans, too, have been reduced 1 1/2 billions. The families of CCC youths, taken from despairing homes, have received upward of 200 million dollars, while incalculable wealth was given these boys in discipline and self-reliance.

The banks have nearly 7 billion dollars more money because of the deposit guarantee law, putting 100 per cent of the people's savings at the disposal of business. The country is on a cash-loan basis instead of credit being expanded to 16 times the total of borrowable bank resources, as in 1929. We have added other billions in value to businesses by low interest rates, a fact not yet noted by economists, in the hiring of money through refunding and new issues over long terms. These assure low operation costs for 20 to 30 years. We incidentally have made 4,600,000 motor cars in 1935, machines not usually bought by paupers.

Our business was down to 20 per cent of the volume of 1929 when Mr. Roosevelt took office. Owing to inflated values in 1929, it is probable 20 per cent of the presumed values of that time were fictitious. Allowing that, we are within 80 per cent of our highest prosperity with greatly augmented sources to progressively increase profits and wealth.

That is a part only of the material profit of the New Deal, Mr. Star. In moral values, we have gained a government for and by the people. We have kept the United States an industrial nation. We have gained the emphy of the extreme radicals by our conservative handling of affairs. We are disliked by the predatory class because we broke its clutch on the throats of the people.

We have fed the hungry, sheltered the homeless, clothed the naked. We have made the federal government near to the masses. Profits, Mr. Star? "What shall it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses his own soul?"—William P. Harvey.

FIRST LOAD OF COTTON AT CARUTHERSVILLE

Caruthersville, Mo., August 12.—John W. Galloway of Pemiscot County, today brought the first load of cotton to a gin here. A premium price of 17 1/2 cents was paid for the first bale of this year's crop. Galloway picked over 30 acres to harvest the first bale. Cotton growers in this section say the crop has prospects of being the best in years.

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OF MISSOURI



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LOCALS

Jesse Lee Hamby is ill with an attack of bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Harrison motored to Fredericktown Saturday and went on to St. Louis Sunday to attend the ball game.

Miss Evelyn Holmes left Saturday night to spend three weeks with Mrs. Annie Clifton at Ridgeley, Tenn., and Mrs. Bert Varbo at Phillippi, Tenn. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Holmes who accompanied their daughter to Ridgeley returned home Sunday evening.

Miss Electa O'Hara is expected home Monday from Bowling Green, Ky., where she attended summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyon Schreff and daughters, Misses Mary Lou and Joanne drove to St. Louis Sunday.

Miss Velma Cotton returned Sunday after a vacation trip to points in Mississippi.

Joe Allen returned last week from Cheley Camp, Estes Park, Colo., where he attended a summer camp for boys. He visited in St. Joseph, Mo., enroute home.

Otis Brown of Detroit, Mich., came Wednesday to join Mrs. Brown who has been the guest of friends and relatives here and in Canalou, Memphis and Little Rock, since the first of July. They will visit Mr. Brown's relatives in Kentucky before returning to Detroit.

Miss Mary Chapman of Chicago who has been the guest of Miss Catherine Ann Cook the last two weeks will leave today (Friday) for her home.

Mrs. Ronald Richardson of Reyno, Ark., sustained an operation for appendicitis, last week, in Lucy Lee hospital at Poplar Bluff. Mrs. Richardson is the former Miss Nina Taylor of this city.

Charles Louis Baker left Monday for his home in Chicago, after a visit here with his great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baker, Sr., and family. Mrs. Lacy Allard, Miss Florence Baker and Mrs. Margaret Harper accompanied him as far as Cairo, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Freeward and daughter Mary Ann, left Sunday for a vacation trip to Minnesota and other northern states.

Mrs. Anna Ansell and granddaughter, Lillian Jeanette, Mrs. Lynn Wagener and two sons, and Fred Moore went to St. Louis Monday for a weeks visit with Mrs. Ansell's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Yowell.

Mrs. Pearl Green and daughter, Louise, and Lucille Moore, of Matthews went to St. Louis Sunday for a weeks visit with relatives.

Mrs. A. J. Gossitt and children who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Brown, of Matthews, returned to their home in St. Louis Sunday.

Second Set of Questions in Prize Contest on the Bible.

5. What is the Difference between the Law and the Gospel?
6. How does the Christian react to the Teaching of Evolution?
7. What has God done for you?
8. Who is Jesus Christ?

Answers to these four Questions must be postmarked no later than midnight next Thursday. Everyone living in Sikeston Trade Territory is eligible according to the rules published last week. Write plainly and mail your answers to Martin L. Cook, Chaffee, Mo.

RUSSELL-BRADLEY MEETS ON KEITH LAWN

The beautiful lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Keith on North Ranney was the meeting place of the Russell-Bradley Missionary society Monday evening. Mrs. Clyde Matthews and Miss Lillian Ptnam were hostesses for the evening.

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Washington Comment

The "Deserted Village" atmosphere which has prevailed in Washington official circles since the coming of the torrid weather is due for a change. After Sunday, the White House will have a Presidential occupant for a few days and, from time to time, a perspiring Cabinet member will straggle into town. One must expect Secretary of State Hull, who has had to stay all along due to the gravity of the Spanish crisis.

With apparent malignity, almost every summer of late develops an international situation that keeps the old State, War, and Navy Building on Pennsylvania Avenue burning the midnight oil as in the World War era and denies Uncle Sam's dapper diplomats the pleasures of shore and mountains. Genial Jim Farley got a grand send-off within the week when he quit the Postmaster Generalship for the duration of the campaign and hied him northward to set his Chief au courant with the political situation. With his departure, the Nation's Capital is left to the mercy of the tourists who invade us in hordes like the locusts and apparently as equally undaunted by the heat. Among the most imposing visitors of the week was a caravan of British motorists, who, embarked from the "Queen Mary" for a fortnight's swing through the East, professed themselves, with admirable naïvete, astonished by the absence on every street corner, of gangsters with machine guns mowing down the citizenry. However, terrified by American taxi drivers and other speed demons, the Britishers put up their cars during their Washington visit, after one day's coping with our traffic hazards.

Despite our declared neutrality, this country has not closed its ears to the roll of war drums in Europe, as some pretend to think. Evidence to the contrary is in the increase, both in size and efficiency of the United States Army during past months. Our force is still small compared to European powers, but our military strength has enlarged from 118,000 men; there is a 5000 increase in the National Guard; the Air Corps will have 1000 fast, ultra-modern planes within two years; the enrollment at West Point has jumped from 1,374 to 1,960 which will provide 400 officers each year. Our standing army now has 12-

000 officers, our National Guard 13,370 officers, 201 warrant officers and 172,224 enlisted men; our "organized reserve" under sometime training, provides 112,590 officers to furnish leadership for a potential civilian army of 1,000,000 men. However, at the present moment, just to show how peaceful everything is around Washington, our Army officers are worrying over the set of their new white regulations summer uniform. It seems that the coat emphasized the portly middle section which the General Staff acquires with a desk job.

The term "Roosevelt Luck" which languished a trifle last winter but revived vigorously after that successful Philadelphia Convention, is being quite generally applied to those circumstances over which there is no control, such as the Spanish Revolution breaking on the very day of the Republican acceptance speech and crowding Gov. Landon on the front page—and later, the very elements combining in sound and fury to nearly ruin the radio reception of the Kansas address. Not to be termed exactly luck, but certainly fortitious is the report of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States on the improved state of the Nation's business.

NEGRO GIVEN TWO YEARS FOR STEALING GIN BELTS

Robert Wilson, a Sikeston negro, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary Tuesday when he pled guilty to stealing ten leather belts valued at \$100 from the Sikeston Gin Company this spring.

Sentence for Russell Clark, who admitted a robbery, was deferred until August 17. Clark was held for the theft of \$11.75 from C. C. Cannon at Chaffee May 4. He pled guilty to second degree robbery after the state had waived a first degree charge.

A hearing for Ben Millering on four charges of stealing chickens in the night time was continued until Thursday after he had been granted a change of venue from Judge Frank Kelly and Judge James M. Reeves of Caruthersville had been appointed to preside at his trial. No trial has been set for Otto Heisserer, Millering's alleged accomplice, who is charged jointly with him on three counts.

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Garden Clubs Entertain at Missouri State Fair



Above is a view of an afternoon entertainment in the beautiful Highway Gardens, at Missouri State Fair, where the Sedalia Affiliated Garden Clubs will entertain the Missouri Federated Women's clubs at their annual party, during Missouri State Fair, August 22-29.

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25c NR Tablets Our Price 14c

75c Castoria .49

25c Feenamints Week end Price 14c

75c Bayer's Aspirin, 100's .41

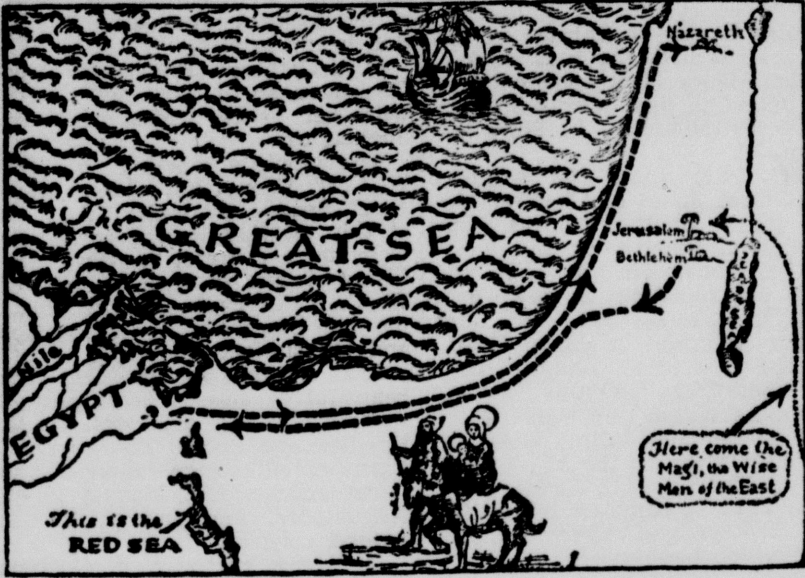
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The GRAPHIC BIBLE

By LEWIS BROWNE

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John and Jesus Are Born

IT CAME to pass toward the end of the reign of Herod that there lived in the city of Hebron, or perhaps in the nearby village of Jutta, a priest named Zacharias. As was the custom in Israel among the men of his sacred profession, Zacharias had a wife, Elizabeth, who was also of the priestly family. They were aged folk, and very humble and poor; but they were pious and contented for all that. Indeed, their only sorrow was occasioned by the fact that they had no child.

But one day, when Zacharias was ministering at the golden altar in the Temple at Jerusalem, an angel came to him and announced that his secret prayers to God had been heard and his wife was about to bear a child. Zacharias was naturally amazed, for he was already a man full of years. In his incredulity he asked for some assurance of the promised blessing, whereupon the angel declared that the priest, because of his unbelief, would remain dumb till the day that the child was born.

As soon as his act of service at the Temple was ended, Zacharias now dumb as well as aged, returned to his home. And behold, it came to pass just as the angel had promised, and Zacharias' wife, Elizabeth, conceived and became with child.

Six months after he appeared to Zacharias in the Temple, the same angel came to Nazareth, a remote village in the hills of Galilee, and there appeared unto a lowly virgin named Miriam, or Mary. This young woman was betrothed to a poor carpenter at Nazareth named Joseph, and she was much astounded to learn that, though she was not yet married, she was about to become a mother. The Holy Ghost had sought her out and found her worthy of bearing a child who would grow to be the Redeemer of the world, and would be known as Jehoshub (or Joshua), which means "God the Savior."

Now this Mary was a kinswoman of Elizabeth, and, having heard of the miracle that had occurred to the aged woman, she made haste to go up to Judea to confer with her.

Mary remained some three months with Elizabeth, and then returned to Nazareth. But when Joseph, the carpenter to whom Mary was betrothed, saw that she was with child, he determined to cast her off. He was a kindly man, and did not want to report the girl to the authorities; but he refused to consider marrying her now, for he believed she had sinned. Before he could take any action, however, he too was visited by an angel and was assured that the child Mary was about to bear had been conceived through the operation not of a man but of the Holy Ghost. So Joseph no longer hesitated, but straightway took Mary to wife.

Meanwhile the event announced to the aged Zacharias in the Temple was fulfilled and Elizabeth bore a man child. She named him John, that is, "God is gracious," but, in accordance with the Greek fashion of the day, the child was known as John. And that child grew to be a prophet. Having been dedicated to God's service as a Nazarene, he never touched wine or strong drink, and denied himself all other pleasures of ordinary life. John assumed the garb of the ancient holy men, wore a robe of camel's hair fastened around the body by a leather girdle, and ate locusts, wild honey, and other such desert foods.

According to the Bible, it came to pass at about the time when John was born that the Roman emperor passed a decree ordering all his subjects in Palestine to go up to the capital to be registered in the census. This decree compelled Joseph and his wife Mary to leave their home in Nazareth and travel to Judea just when she was about to bear her child. One night they got as far as the village of Bethlehem, but found the town there so crowded with travelers that they were compelled to seek shelter in the stable among the cattle and the beasts of burden. And behold, there in the stable the pangs came over Mary, and she bore her child. Wrapping him in swaddling clothes, she laid him in a manger by her side. And thus was Jesus ushered into the world of men.

Now Joseph and Mary were strict

Jews, and naturally enough they felt it incumbent upon them to rear their child according to the Holy Law. When the infant was eight days old he was circumcised and given the Hebrew name of Jeshua, which in Greek was Jesus. And on the fortieth day Mary repaired to the Temple and, in accordance with the Jewish custom, presented her offering of purification. She brought her little one with her on that journey, and she marveled much to see an aged man named Symeon, and a prophetess named Anna, recognize the holy child and openly declare him to be none other than the promised Messiah of Israel.

The Flight to Egypt

SOON after the holy family left Jerusalem and returned to their lodging place at Bethlehem, certain Magi or Wise Men from Persia came to the capital and began to inquire where they could find him that was born King of the Jews. They declared they had seen him in the East and had come expressly to worship him. But when King Herod heard of this, he was filled with alarm, for he had no desire to lose his throne. By means of a low stragem he discovered where the infant lay, and at once he began to plot to destroy him. But Joseph was forewarned in a dream, and just in time he took his wife and the child and fled with them across the wilderness to Egypt. And only when Herod died did the holy family return to Palestine. Joseph brought his wife and child to Nazareth and once more took up his work there as a carpenter.

The village of Nazareth was very small; indeed it was so obscure that it never once receives mention in the Old Testament. But though small, it lay in the very heart of Lower Galilee, and therefore was far from secluded. Not far away from it were the great highways radiating in all directions, and because of these highways, Nazareth lay open to all the many influences coming from the cities and lands of the East and West.

Galilee had once been a place inhabited largely by half-breed Jews, but from the time of the Maccabees it became a center of the most intense Jewish patriotism. The people there were not as well educated as those in Jerusalem, but for all that they were not lacking in extreme devotion to God and fervent faith that very soon he would send the Messiah to rescue them from the talons of Rome. Indeed, the spirit of rebellion against Rome was fiercer in Galilee than almost anywhere else in Palestine.

About an hour's walk from Nazareth lay the important city of Sepphoris, and we know from history that this was for a time a stronghold of the revolutionists. All around Nazareth there were other cities and villages where the spark of rebellion lay always ready to be fanned. And from this we can imagine what must have been one of the great influences in the early life of Jesus. In the alleyways of Nazareth he must have heard constant talk of the wickedness of the Roman oppressor, and in the synagogue his ears must have been filled with repeated prayers for the coming of a Redeemer.

For the Jews were convinced that the intolerable evil could not last much longer. Of old the prophets had taught them that a day of release must come, a day wherein their God would send them a wondrous leader, a Messiah—that is, an "Anointed One"—who would miraculously overthrow the hated enemy and then reign in peace forevermore.

And the more horrible the persecutions, the nearer seemed the advent of this Anointed One. Each day was thought to be the very last, and every hour the people picked up their ears for the sound of the Messiah's trumpet. And it was in such an atmosphere that the child Jesus grew to boyhood.

God's Love

God's love gives in such a way that it flows from a father's heart, the wellspring of all good. The heart of the giver makes the gift dear and precious; as among ourselves we say of even a trifling gift, "It comes from a hand we love," and look not so much at the gift as at the heart.—Luther.

Personal And Society Items From Vanduser

Misses Geneva and Catherine Shelton of Gideon spent last week with Miss Lucille Moxley. Lucille returned home with them to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Perry and children have gone to Senath to spend a few days visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woodward of Washington are visiting home-folks here this week.

Miss Lila Williams left Sunday for an extended visit in New York and Washington.

Dorothy Moxley returned home Wednesday after a month's visit in southern Missouri with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Gladys Thompson and two sons J. D. and Jerry Lee and two cousins of near Charleston and Mrs. C. C. Hale spent last week visiting relatives at Grisham.

Mr. J. C. Chaney spent the week end at his granddaughters, Mrs. Glendon Stafford, on his return from Flint, Michigan. He left Monday for his home at Grisham.

Freeman Unsell has been conducting a revival at Noxall the past week. Rev. Ollie Lewis and family and Burley Hogue and Miss Audrey Unsell were among those who attended the past week.

Burley Hogue of East Prairie has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hogue the past week.

Ollie Lewis, Oscar Mize, Glendon Stafford, Leval and Carl McCommerse Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Moxley and children and R. V. Mize shopped in Sikeston Saturday.

Those at the Glendon Stafford home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Ulrich and children of Cape Girardeau, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Killian of near Sikeston, and J. C. Chaney of Grisham.

Ralph McDonald is not getting along so good over having his tonsils removed last week.

Mrs. Freda Boyett and little daughter Barbara Lou of St. Louis have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Aman Batts the past week.

Eloise Duncan spent the week end at the Boss Fields home at Morley.

Mrs. Lesley Medlock and little daughter Francis Pearl of near Tanner spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. Lee Walker.

Personal and Society News from Pleasant Valley

O. B. Allan underwent a minor operation Saturday and is somewhat better.

The writer, his son, Jack, and his daughter, Dorothy, and cousins Albert and Floy Holt spent Sunday afternoon in Charleston. We all had a good time Kodaking and swimming.

Miss Mary Williams left Monday to visit her sister, Miss Elsie Williams in St. Louis.

Everybody is invited to attend services at Pleasant Valley Saturday and Sunday, this being Rev. T. F. Gray's regular appointment. The meeting the past two weeks at the Valley church conducted by Sister Nellie B. Jackson was a big success with ten additions to the church who will be baptized Sunday afternoon, August 16 in North Cut Ditch near Buckeye Switch by Rev. T. F. Gray and Rev. H. Asa.

There was an attendance of 67 at Sunday school Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Hartle and son, Truman, of near Millersville visited at the Allen home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hartle visited relatives near Bufordville Tuesday and Wednesday. Miss Virginia Summers accompanied them home for an indefinite visit.

The following young ladies spent Wednesday night with Miss Vera Shelton, Misses Gladys Rister, Marjory Boardman, Nora Jo Dame and Lillie Allen.

O. B. Allen and son and daughter, Lillie and Raymond made a business visit to Jackson Friday. Mrs. Susan Hartle of near Millersville accompanied them home for an indefinite visit. Mrs. Hartle is the mother of Mrs. O. B. Allen and F. M. Hartle.

Loomis and Rushy Niswanger of near Millersville visited relatives in this community from Saturday until Monday.

Misses Nellie Jackson and Marjory Boardman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ashworth and family.

The Christian Endeavor class voted in two new members Sunday night.

Misses Gladys Rister and Vera Shelton and Bert and Luther Stanfill, Reuben Estes, Robert Merrick, and Narriack and Junior

Farms for Sale

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Visitors and Prizes at Morehouse Homecoming

(By Mrs. Lillian Grossman)

Following is a partial list of former Morehouse residents who were recent Morehouse visitors:

Mrs. Minnie Harris, Bisbee, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Knupp, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Loren Blaylock, St. Louis, Mo.; Baker Headlee, Wichita, Kans.; Mrs. Mag McFarling, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Baker Reynolds, Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Nolen, Memphis, Tenn.; Mrs. Bessie Penneck, Bourbon, Mo.; Mrs. Ruth Averett, Wilson, Columbia, Tenn.; Mrs. R. J. Masterson, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Bob Smith, Butler, Ill.; Miss Eileen Meneses, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crumpecker and children of Houston, Texas; Mr. Hilary Boone, Jefferson City, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Dorrell Harris and daughter of Bisbee, Ariz.; Eugene Harris, Bisbee, Ariz.; and Mrs. George Folk, Cincinnati, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Avery Nolen, St. Louis, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Lou Mitchell, St. Louis, Mo.; Byron Masterson, Hayti, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Faye Hocker, Sikeston, Mo.; A. J. Jenkins, Obion, Tenn.; Mr. Pete Taylor, Eau Claire, Mich.; Jules Taylor, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Eva Taylor Engram, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. O. S. Chapman, Sikeston, Mo.; Marion Shipman, Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. Radia Bumpus, Sikeston, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. John Porter, Parma, Mo.; Mrs. Susie Walden, Farmington, Mo.; Mrs. Marie Seabough, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; Mrs. Gertrude Lampley, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Mrs. Lila Lowe, Canolou, Mo.; Mrs. Wm. Scheining, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; Mr. Bud Lamson, Neosha, Mo.; Mr. Charles Legate, Biggers, Ark.; Mrs. Minnie Hall, New Madrid, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Meneses, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Stanley, New Madrid, Mo.; Mrs. Rita Hall, Bates, New Madrid, Mo.; Mrs. Jewell Miller, Canolou, Mo.; Bob McBride, Clarkton, Mo.; Walter

Miller spent Sunday at the Allen home.

Miss Maxine Dame of St. Louis is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dame.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seabough and children, Eugene and Leslie, of near Matthews ate supper with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Allen and family Tuesday night and attended church.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Larcom and grandchildren, Janice and Alazo, Jr., and Elmer Stanfill and Miss Nora Jo Dame were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hartle and families Thursday night.

Hawkins, Hayti, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Bond and children of Chaffee, Mo.; P. S. Chapman, Wickliffe, Ky.; Cleo Cain, St. Louis, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilkins, Elva, Ky.; Dennis Cline, Mason, Jackson, Mo.; Mrs. W. I. Tibbs, Jackson, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Shug Johnson, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Averett, Canolou, Mo.; Mrs. Otto Bratton, Detroit, Mich.

Odell Mocabee, Los Angeles, Calif.; George Smart, New Madrid, Mo.; L. A. Tickell, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; Earl Mocabee, Pine Ridge, Oreg.; Louis Tickell, Memphis, Tenn.; Mrs. Helen Ogile and children of Farmington, Mo.; Alva Wallace, Sikeston, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smithpeters, Matthews, Mo.; Raymond Usrey, Sikeston, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. James McColgan, Risco, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Myers and daughter, Miss Marjorie, Logansport, Ind.; Mrs. Dacia Hunt, Risco, Mo.; Mrs. J. W. Sarff and son Warren of Benton, Mo.; Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Fikes, Festus, Mo.; Mrs. Helen Oldham, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newcomer, Cairo, Ill.; Miss Harriet Eakers, Cairo, Ill.; Jesse Wilkins, New Madrid, Mo.; Miss Doris James, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Klingel, McMullin, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mount, Sikeston, Mo.; Mr. Marion Schaffer, St. Louis, Mo.; Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Cornell, Lutesville, Mo.; Miss Helen Legate, Biggers, Ark.; Miss Clara Ruterbaugh, Magnolia, Ark.; Mrs. Emma Ruterbaugh Medlin, Pangburn, Ark.

Mrs. John Edwards and children Sikeston, Mo.; Mrs. Mary Gorman, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; Mrs. Ena Minich Sexton, Paducah, Ky.; Mrs. Bertha Corlew, Essex, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Ike Wofford, Parma, Ky.; Rev. and Mrs. Will Parrot, Essex, Mo.; Joe Parrot, Essex, Mo.; Bill Newcomer, Cairo, Ill.; Mrs. Paul Gross and children of Essex, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Howell, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. O. D. James, Galatia, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pence, Springfield, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moxey, Sikeston, Mo.; Walter Upton, St. Louis, Mo.; Paul Jones and son of Sikeston, Mo.; Dona Williams, Sikeston, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Church, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Miss Bill Wallace, Sikeston, Mo.; Willie Belle and Thomas Williams, Sikeston, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Tickell, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Barnhill, Canolou, Mo.

Among the Homecoming visitors at the home of Mrs. Annie Blaylock were: Miss Clara Puterbaugh

of Magnolia, Ark., and her sister Mrs. John Midlin of Pangburn, Ark. These ladies moved from Morehouse 31 years ago. This is their first visit back in 24 years. Thirty three years ago Miss Clara taught school in Morehouse, having an enrollment of 120 with 60 in the primary class. She now teaches in Arkansas A. & M. at Magnolia, Ark. They remarked on the many improvements in Morehouse during this time.

Miss Louise Parrish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Parrish of Morehouse was selected as "Home Coming Queen" for the second time. Miss Parrish was presented with cash prize. She is a graduate of the Morehouse high school. Last year she spent as a nurse at the Crippled Children's Home in St. Louis. At present she is an operator in the telephone office.

The attendance this year was the largest ever before at the Morehouse Homecoming. Saturday night the crowd was estimated at 3000.

First place in girls foot race, Christine Barker; Second place girls foot race, Maxine Harper; Third place girls foot race, Doris Mitchell.

First place in boys foot race, J. C. Hudson; Second place in boys foot race, Charles Shipman; Third place in boys foot race, Jack Hudson.

First place in sack race, Kenneth Farris; Second place in sack race, Sam Gray; Third place in sack race, Floyd Mitchell.

First place in three legged race, Charles Mitchell.

First place in three legged race, Jack Hudson.

First place in cracker eating contest, Len Jordan; Second place in cracker eating contest, Loyd McDee; Third place in cracker eating contest, Floyd Mitchell.

First place in Peanut eating contest, Lardyn; Second place in peanut eating contest, Ruth Thorburg; Third place in peanut eating contest, Helen Statfield.

First place in bicycle race, Maurice; Second place in bicycle race, Wallace; Third place in bicycle race, Sally Wallace.

SUNFLOWER SEED AS FEED

A Scott county farmer has asked for information regarding the value of sunflower seed as a feed. Sunflower seed have a high oil content. It has been found that sunflower seed produce a soft and oily pork. With corn at 70 cents per bushel and tankage at \$2.50 per hundred, gains made by pork when fed equal parts of corn and sunflower seed indicated a value of \$1.80 per hundred for the sunflower seed.

PRATT ORDERED NOT TO DRIVE CAR FOR 60 DAYS

Judge Brown Jewell imposed severe punishment on Harry Pratt, Jr., when Pratt appeared in police court Tuesday and pled guilty to reckless driving.

Judge Jewell fined Pratt \$12, sentenced him to thirty days in jail, and ordered him not to drive an automobile for sixty days. He stayed the jail sentence upon the payment of fine and costs.

Trooper V. C. Boisabun arrested Pratt and Elmo Warren early Sunday morning as they drove along Malone avenue. Warren, who threw a whisky bottle onto the pavement, was fined \$15 after he had pled guilty before Judge Jewell. Pratt was arrested earlier this year for reckless driving.

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FORMER SIKESTON PASTOR TO SPEAK AT ILLMO SUNDAY

The Rev. E. H. Koerber, formerly pastor of the Concordia Lutheran church here and now pastor of the Lutheran church in Springfield, Mo., will speak at a missions rally in the Illmo Lutheran church Sunday morning.

The Rev. Martin L. Cook, present pastor of the Chaffee-Sikeston parish of the Lutheran church will be the afternoon speaker at the Illmo rally.

Popeye Wilson dashed into the sick bay and addressed the Corpsman on duty: "Have you got something that will cure the flees on our mascot?"

Corpsman: "I don't know, what's the matter with the flees?"

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50c Unguentine	29c
50c Phillips Milk of Magnesia	27c
No. 116 Kodak Film	18c
75c Fountain Syringe or Water Bottle	21c
60c Murine Eye Water	36c

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There are many cases come to our attention of old folks who are eligible for old age assistance but who have not yet received any assistance. The saddest part to our way of thinking is the way some children treat their old father or mother by not lending aid themselves instead of letting the State pay the bill. All through childhood parents have stood by through sickness and death and children can never repay their parents, especially their mother, for what they have sacrificed to try to bring them up to be useful men and women. Some of these old folks have told us their son was willing to take them in but the son's wife would not consent, and to keep from breaking up the family the old ones suffered and starved. This is written with the hope that sons and daughters will divide the last crust and try to provide for their old father or mother. The small sum that will come as old age assistance will not near provide for the comforts old people are entitled to, but will help some. It is pitiful to meet so many of these old folks, listen to their stories of hardships and neglect by their children, and we so helpless to hurry along the small sums due and needed.

It is estimated that the Democratic and Republican headquarters will spend several million dollars in their efforts to reach the elusive voter. The average citizen will be inclined to the belief that this sum will be well spent. Newspaper editors, accustomed to the free broadcasting of party propaganda through their columns, will probably wonder how much the parties would pay for newspaper space if the Fourth Estate adopted the radio rule of service for cash only.—Kenneth Democrat.

"It is evident that if Roosevelt is re-elected it will be chiefly because millions of people believe he has made a humanitarian effort to improve their condition. Talk with the cab drivers and scrubwomen. They say: 'There have been mistakes; but he's tried to help us.'—Boston Christian Science Monitor.

We have no intention of printing the name of the young woman who was held in a double-over position in one of our Drug Stores at 1:00 o'clock Thursday and given a sound spanking across her shoulders where she sits down.

DID YOU KNOW?
That the most hazardous air route in the United States is considered to be the Spokane to Seattle route over the towering Cascade Mountains. It is also said to have the best blind flying pilots in the country, since so much of their work entails constant instrument navigation.

That a tablet excavated in northern Mesopotamia in 1932 proves that the story of the expulsion of Adam and Eve from the Garden of Eden was known in the East nearly 6,000 years ago.

That dry ice has a temperature of about 114 degrees below zero Fahrenheit.

That the oldest known manuscript of the Bible is in the Vatican in Rome.

Preacher (to Mormon bridegroom): "Do you take these women to be your lawfully wedded wives?"

Groom: "I do."

Preacher (to brides): "Do you take this man to be your lawfully wedded husband?"

Brides: "We do."

Preacher: "Some of you girls in the back will have to speak louder if you want to be included in this."

Personal and Society News From Morley

Mrs. C. A. Stallings and son Kenneth, daughter Eloise and Miss Ava Evans were Sikeston business visitors Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Leslie Clemons visited at the Rev. C. E. Calvert home at Illmo Sunday afternoon.

Most all canteloupes are gone now but large quantities of watermelons are being marketed. Melons are of good flavor this year.

Camille Stallings went to Oran Saturday for a few days visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Clemons.

H. F. Emerson and son Joe were business visitors in St. Louis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Worth and children of Portageville and Miss Lucille Glick of Cape Girardeau were dinner guests of Mrs. G. D. Harris Tuesday.

Mr. Dennis Brantley of Ky., is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ford.

Elwood Stroder is visiting his paternal grandmother at White-water this week.

Misses Margaret Alma Thacker and Ethel Vaughn went to St. Louis Sunday to visit the former's sister, Mrs. James Mangan for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ray of Evening Shade, Ark., are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Darter.

Mrs. Alec Foster and son Harry, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reynolds of St. Louis were guests of Mrs. Lita Foster and Mrs. Elsie Norman of Hooe District over the week end.

Ralph Vaughn, J. B. McInay and C. A. Stallings were visitors in St. Louis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Morgan of Hayti visited relatives here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kilmer and son, Clarence Aaron of Dexter spent the week end with Mrs. C. D. Harris and family.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Ragains, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Little, Mr. C. F. Porter, Mesdames Phoebe Black, Ida Bone, and G. D. Harris attended quarterly conference at Vanduser Sunday evening.

Aunt Minnie Allen is very ill this week.

Misses Leda May and June Daugherty returned home Sunday from a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller and family of Farmington. The latter accompanied them here returning to their home the same day.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Allen and son Wilson went to St. Louis Tuesday on a business trip.

Kenneth Stallings and C. D. Harris were at Cape on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terman Cruse of Kansas City were guests of Mrs. Henrietta Daugherty last week end.

Mrs. Addie Smiley went to St. Louis Monday night to be with her daughter, Mrs. Clara Clayton, who requires surgical treatment.

A revival meeting was started at the Baptist church Monday night with Rev. C. E. Calvert of Illmo doing the preaching.

An all-day meeting of the home-makers club will be held at the home of Mrs. Amos McMullin today (Thursday) when a demonstration in cheese-making will be given.

Announcement was made here Sunday of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Willard Sullivan at the S. E. Mo. hospital at Cape Girardeau. Mrs. Sullivan was formerly Miss Dorothy Lee Foster and moved to Cape Girardeau two years ago.

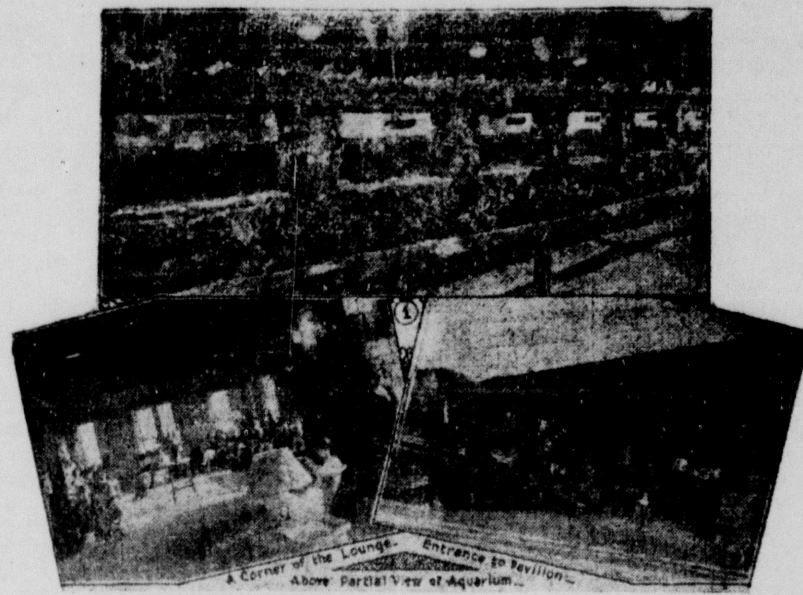
Fred Stephenson a WPA worker age 65 years died Thursday at his home at 2 a. m. He suffered a stroke of Paralysis Monday while at work and never regained consciousness. Mr. Stephenson was born in Work County, Ind., March 2, 1871 and came to Missouri when a youth. He was married to Miss Zona Irvin who survives. The funeral was held at the Baptist church Saturday afternoon with Rev. Denzel Osburn of Roxana, Ill., in charge. Burial was in Morley city cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Irvin of St. Louis were called here Thursday by the death of their brother-in-law Mr. Fred Stephenson.

AAA HEAD FINDS NEW PAN-AMERICAN HIGHWAY IN MEXICO REMARKABLE

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 12.—Visitors by the thousands soon will be flocking into Mexico over the new Pan-American highway in the opinion of Thomas P. Henry, president of the American Automobile Association, who has recently returned from active participation in the formal dedication of the route linking Laredo, Texas, with Mexico City. Previously conceived notions formed through articles in national periodicals had prepared

Missouri Game and Fish Exhibit



Three scenes in the elaborate State Fair exhibit building of the State Game and Fish Department, recognized as the finest exhibit of its kind in America. Many thousands will visit this unique display during Missouri State Fair week, August 22-29.

him for a hazardous drive, attended by many of the difficulties which beset early American tourists, whereas there is not a dangerous foot in the whole 778-mile route and nothing to prevent a 15-year-old girl from making the trip alone, Henry reported.

As evidence of this, he cited covering the entire distance in only fourteen and a half hours of elapsed travel time in the new car he drove from Detroit to Mexico City and return, piling up 5400 miles in two weeks.

Three large oil companies are installing modern tourist camps over the entire route, boasting plumbing the equal of anything in America and the best beds and mattresses made in Grand Rapids, the AAA head stated.

"Less than forty miles of the entire route are not hard surfaced," said Mr. Henry, "and that stretch is oiled and so smooth I didn't realize I was leaving pavement. The highway is as well laid out as any in the United States. Every bridge is completed. If there is a single foot of dangerous travel on the whole trip I failed to find it."

Cars from the United States are now crossing the border at the rate of about fifty a day, Henry reported, with prospects of rapid increase as a result of the en-

thusiastic reports brought back by those taking the trip. Particularly active fall and winter travel is indicated by the abundance of game, and the prospects of a temperate climate, according to Mr. Henry.

The road, which has been under construction for several years, is twenty-eight feet wide, and represents a remarkable engineering achievement, with the last 280 miles blasted out of the side of a mountain. The hope is that ultimately it will be extended through Central America into South America, thus making possible a continuous motor route linking the two halves of the western hemisphere.

33% INCREASE IN VOLUME OF MORTGAGES ACCEPTED FOR INSURANCE BY FIA

Washington, D. C., Aug. 11.—Missouri savings, building and loan association reported an increase of 33.1 per cent in the volume of their home mortgages accepted for insurance by the federal housing administration during the first six months of 1936 over the entire year of 1935, it was announced here today by George E. Palmer, special assistant to the administrator, in charge of savings and loan activities. He

stated that the total of accepted loans reported up to July 1 were \$658,810.

"Of equal importance is the fact that 48 of their total of 180 loans were made for new construction, costing \$220,560," said Mr. Palmer. "It is significant that the volume of these new construction loans in Missouri was 20.2 per cent greater during the first half of this year than during the whole of 1935, denoting a decided increase in residential building activities in that State since the first of the year."

"The savings, building and loan associations of Missouri added \$45,600 to their total of these loans in June, which compares with \$49,750 in May. Their largest previous month was January, with \$45,650. The average amount of these loans is \$3,660."

COTTON HOLDS ITS PLACE IN SPITE OF SUBSTITUTES

While rayon and other textile fibers may be taking the place of cotton in some uses, the king crop of the South is more than holding its own in the textile fiber field, says Rodney Whitaker, Bureau of Agricultural Economics, United States Department of Agriculture.

The increased use of cotton for industrial purposes has helped to maintain the crop's position as a textile fiber, Whitaker reports. He cites the automobile industry as one of the many industrial uses of cotton.

In 1929, a peak year, the automobile tire industry used more than 700,000 bales of cotton. A sharp decline was noted during the depression years, but in 1935 more than half a million bales were used in automobile tire manufacturing. Additional quantities of cotton were used in car tops, upholstery, and seat covers.

A study of the cotton situation over a long period shows the total cotton used has more than doubled since 1890. Use of all textile fibers has a little less than doubled. In this way, Whitaker points out, cotton has more than held its position in the textile industries of the Nation.

COTTON LEAF WORM TO APPEAR SOON

Southeast Missouri county extension agents warned farmers this week to watch for the arrival of cotton leaf worms.

Leslie B. Broom of New Madrid county said that because of the large number of worms last

year a heavy infestation is expected again this summer, particularly if rain should fall for several days and the weather should be cool.

Cotton leaf worms ordinarily appear near the end of the growing season, but already they are prevalent in fields of Northeast Arkansas, lower Pemiscot county, and on farms near Kennett and Europa in Dunklin county. Broom said they would probably reach New Madrid county the last half of this month and the first of next.

Reports indicate that there is serious infestation in Mississippi county, Arkansas. Moths that deposit the larvae are plentiful and are especially noticeable because they have become caught in the radiators of many cars driven at night. Farmers are buying large quantities of calcium arsenate to dust their fields.

About fifteen days are required for worms to hatch after eggs have been deposited, and usually the second and third hatchings are achieved before worms become numerous enough to effect serious damage. Farmers say the worms could do the greatest damage now, for after cotton is well opened they not only fail to hurt the yield but, in the opinion of many, are of benefit to it by removing the top foliage and permitting bolls near the ground to open better.

Personal And Society Items From Morehouse

The revival being conducted in the W. C. T. U. Park by the Church of God began Monday night, with a large crowd and good attention, every body invited to attend these services.

Miss Helen Legate of Essex was

a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Legate.

A. L. Lawson and daughter, Miss Della Lawson of Neosho, Mo., are visiting the formers brother J. C. Spence, Sr., and family.

Henry Crumpecker and daughter Mrs. Lilah Lowe of Canolou were business visitors here Monday.

Jules Taylor of Chicago visited old friends here the past week.

Mrs. Henry Hart and children are spending this week with Mrs. Harts Grandmother in Shawneetown, Ill.

Mrs. Lucy Jones and daughter Miss Ruth Jones of Chaffee, Mo., are guests of the formers sister Mrs. J. C. Spence, Sr. this week.

Mrs. Louise Newton and children are spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adkinson in Poplar Bluff.

Cleo Cain of St. Louis is visiting home folks here this week.

Messrs Walter and Harry Glass, and mother Mrs. Luther Glass and children attended the camp meeting at Kutawa, Ky., Sunday.

Mrs. F. L. Mitchell is visiting her brother and other friends in Booneville, Miss.

Baker Reynolds of Cleveland, O., spent the past week with parents Mr. and Mrs. Clabe Reynolds and other friends.

Mrs. John Medline, of Pangburn, Ark., and sister Miss Clara Puterbaugh of Magnolia, Ark., spent the past week with old friends in this city. They were formerly residents of Morehouse.

Mrs. Susie Walden and Mrs. Jack Ogle and children of Farmington, Mo., were guests of old friends here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spence, Jr., and son and A. L. Lawson and daughter Miss Ruth, were Sunday guests of the formers daughter and husband, Prof. S. T. Clayton in Senath, Mo.

Mrs. R. H. Legate and daughter

ter Miss Helen spent the past week with her son Emory Legate and family.

Mrs. Walter Chandler visited with friends in Poplar Bluff from Wednesday until Sunday the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Meyers and daughter Miss Marjorie of Logansport, Ind., were last weeks guests of the formers aunt Mrs. F. B. Ranch and family.

Miss Catheryn Burton of Cape Girardeau spent the past week with her sister Mrs. Johnnie Spence, Jr.

The monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Margaret Spence Thursday, Aug. 6, at this meeting it was agreed to write up a contract renting the filling station on west end of W. C. T. U. Park to Nute Hicks for two years for a service Gas and Oil station.

Miss Bettie Lou Headlee the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Headlee and Robert Thornberg of Caruthersville, Mo., Monday night, August 3rd. Their many friends extend congratulations.

The barn on the I. R. Graham farm one half mile north of town burned Wednesday of last week. Mr. Graham lost all of his wheat, hay, and farm implements and one cow and he did not have any insurance.

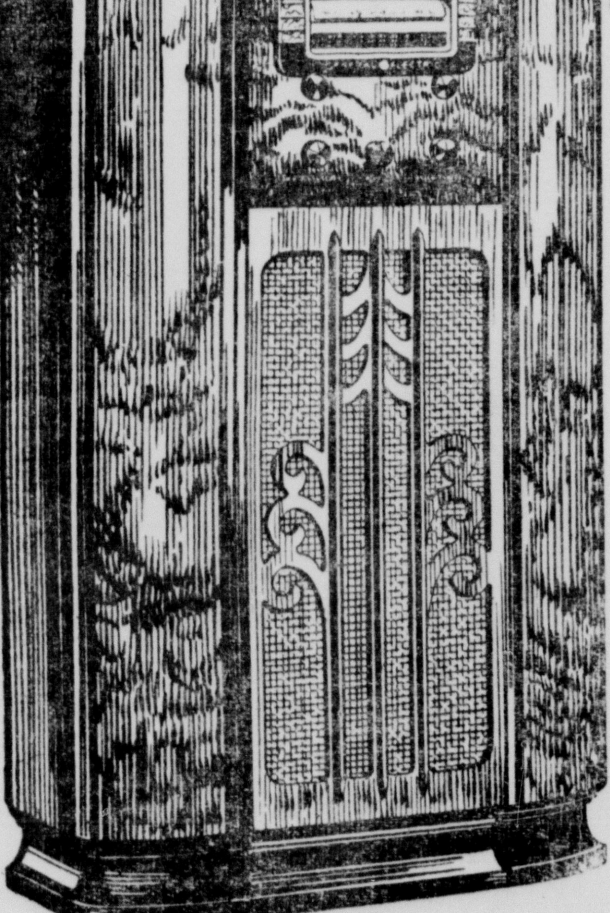
Captain: "Your conduct is terrible, young lady, and I must remind you that I am your father." Janey: "You aren't going to scold me for that, are you daddy?"

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35c BROMO QUININE 18c	\$1.00 Vaseline Hair Tonic ---- 49c	50c Bromo Quinine --- 29c
	35c Lifebuoy Shaving Cream ---- 17c	50c Prophylactic Tooth Brushes ---- 29c
	\$1.50 Agarol ---- 98c	75c EPSOM SALTS 5 lbs. 15c
	25c Lysol ---- 17c	60c SYRUP PEPSIN 34c
	50c Pyrosana ---- 25c	
	\$2.00 Electric Fans -- \$1.19	

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Personal News of Sikeston

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter, Phones 761w and 137

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sells, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. John Crosno and daughters, Miss Mragaret and Miss Mildred, of near Canolou, returned Monday night after a four days trip to Illinois, Indiana and Ohio.

Mrs. Lacy Allard and her daughter, Miss Evelyn, left Wednesday morning for a ten days trip to Oklahoma and the Centennial celebration at Dallas, Texas. They expect to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Black in Wewoka, and other friends in Tulsa and Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Ruskin McCoy expects to leave this week end for a vacation trip to Eastern resorts. She will accompany her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Ruhl of St. Louis, the latter of whom is society editor of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Miss Meriam and Miss Lucille Miller of Wilmington, N. C., who visited the family of Mr. and Mrs. I. Becker the last few weeks, left Sunday for Manila, Ark., to visit Mrs. Max Borowsky and Mrs. Wm. Borowsky.

Mrs. Leonard Cohen of the North Kingshighway Slack apartments, entertained Tuesday with a bridge luncheon, complimentary to Mrs. S. Bodzinar of Savannah, Ga., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. Nathan, and sister, Mrs. Nathan Yoffee.

Miss Laura Catherine Kornegger is visiting her cousin, Miss Beulah Kornegger in Puxico, this week.

Mrs. H. C. Young and son, Dick, spent Wednesday as guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Penny in Poplar Bluff.

Mrs. H. L. Boaz of Parma is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Conatser, this week.

Mrs. Wayman Luten and two daughters of Union City, Tenn., came Sunday from Charleston where they visited her mother and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Moore Greer.

G. B. Greer left Wednesday night for Birmingham, Ala., to visit his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Heisserer, Tharon Stallings and Ross Kilgore were in St. Louis Tuesday to see the Cardinal-Cub baseball game.

Mr. and Mrs. James Doyle and two children of Alton, Ill., spent the week end here with Mrs. Doyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Young.

Mary Emma Alpen left Sunday for Columbia, Mo., to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Woods.

Mrs. John W. Stokes and daughter Ann, of Mayfield, Ky., returned to their home Wednesday evening after visiting her mother, Mrs. Anna Winchester since Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Matthews III and Mrs. John W. Stokes of Mayfield, Ky., went to St. Louis Monday and returned Wednesday morning. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Cunningham in Desloge Monday night.

Mrs. James Matthews entertained her bridge club Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. A. C. Barrett on North Kingshighway.

Naomi Ferrell, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. T. P. Ferrell of Morehouse, was taken to Southeast Missouri hospital at Cape Girardeau Wednesday for an appendix operation.

Wade Malcolm, and daughter Ruth, motored to DeSoto Tuesday transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Malcolm spent the week-end in Gideon visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Sharp.

Rev. Theon Schone, Eleanor and Adell Kannguiser, of New Haven, Missouri, and Otto Schoen, his mother and daughter Mary Margaret of Pomeroy, were six o'clock dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Malcolm.

Miss Emily Kendall returned home Thursday evening after a two-weeks visit in East St. Louis, Ill., with her aunt, Mrs. Thos. E. Duffy.

Mrs. Mildred Allard and little daughter went to Poplar Bluff Friday where they were joined by her sister, Mrs. Amo Ponder and went on to Corning, Ark., to spend the week end with their sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Swannagon surprised their daughter, Bobbie, with a dinner Sunday, this being her fourteenth birthday anniversary. The guests were Misses Bernice Husher, Maxine Shallind, Louise Tindler, Mrs. John Husher and Mrs. S. E. Swannagon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bratton of Rolla, Mo., arrived Wednesday to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bratton.

Miss Nora Calger of Tanner visited with Mrs. Boyd Scillian a few days this week.

Mrs. Reeve Smith returned Friday from Caruthersville where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Warner Phillips, last week.

Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Mayfield visited the former's sister, Mrs. Lee Mayfield, at her home near Marble Hill, Thursday of last week.

Earl Mocabee of Pine Ridge, Oregon who has been the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Earl Malone left Wednesday to visit relatives near Paducah, Ky., before returning to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Bradley of Desloge were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson.

Miss Helen Campbell returned to her home in Auxvasse, Mo., after an extended visit here with her sister, Mrs. Leo Beckett. She was accompanied by Mrs. Beckett who will visit there until the 1st of September.

Mr. and Mrs. Miley Limbaugh and Mrs. Byron Bowman shopped in St. Louis Thursday.

Mrs. L. M. Hollenbeck and daughter Ann, joined Mr. Hollenbeck in St. Louis Wednesday of last week and remained until Friday. Mr. Hollenbeck returned to the city Monday to attend the second week of the Retailers Association.

Sam Bowman and daughter, Miss Frances and Miss Martha Jane Myers spent Thursday in St. Louis.

Mrs. H. G. Sharp and son Valle, Mrs. Garwood Sharp and Otis Sitzes spent Wednesday in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Harty moved into their new home on Park avenue Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Martin will occupy the

Dudley property vacated by the Hartys.

Miss Margaret Fisher entertained at bridge Wednesday night, at her home on Gladys avenue.

Kendall Sikes is transacting business in St. Louis this week.

Dr. Howard A. Dunaway was in St. Louis Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ford were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ford in Morley Wednesday.

Among those from Sikeston who were in Charleston Monday morning to attend the funeral services of Jack Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Brown of that city were: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sikes, Mrs. Betty Matthews, Mrs. I. H. Dunaway, Mrs. C. A. Cook, Mrs. F. M. Sikes, Miss Lydia and Miss Audrey Chaney and Miss Mary Jane Sikes, Mrs. E. H. Orear.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Watson of Morley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ford Tuesday.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Sunday school—9:30 o'clock. Morning worship—10:30 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Work of the church."

N. Y. P. S.—6:30 o'clock. Evening worship—7:30 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Midnight Cry."

Midweek prayer service, Thursday night 7:30 o'clock. C. F. Transue, pastor.

The Thursday evening prayer service was to have been conducted by members of the older men's Bible Class.

On Monday evening, August 10, the following officers of the church were re-elected: secretary—Mrs. Jewell Humes; receiving treasurer—Mrs. L. H. Rector; and treasurer—L. H. Rector. A new executive board for the coming year were also elected as follows: Mrs. C. F. Transue, president; Mrs. Pauline Limbaugh, recording secretary; Miss Celesta Givens, corresponding secretary; W. H. Thompson, treasurer. Other officers and committees will be elected later.

Approximately 200 delegates are expected to attend the Nazarene assembly to be held here on Monday and Tuesday, September 7 and 8. The meeting will begin at noon Monday with the district W. M. S. Assembly, and on Monday evening the Eighth District Assembly will convene with Dr. R. T. Williams, General Superintendent Presiding. It is hoped that residents of Sikeston will open their homes to these delegates for beds on Tuesday night. Delegates will furnish their own meals. Those people who have spare beds who will take delegates please call Rev. C. F. Transue at 751 or contact Mrs. Ina Johnson.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:15 o'clock. Morning Worship—11 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "God Called to Man in the Garden of Eden."

Epworth League—6:30 o'clock. E. H. Orear, pastor.

Arrangements have been made for special music at the Sunday morning service at the Methodist church. A trio composed of Mary Jane Sikes, Helen Vera Dudley and Kathryn Ann Cook will sing, and Billy Malone, acting in the absence of Mrs. R. A. Moore, will preside at the organ.

Everyday Cooking Miracles

BY VIRGINIA FRANCIS

Director Holpoint Electric Cookery Institute

The Indians called it maize. Winslow spoke of it in his book as "the staff of life." Even the poet writes of it, in a prelude to a love song, saying "the corn was springing fresh and green . . . and the red was on your lip, Mary, and the love-light in your eyes." To the ordinary man or woman, however, corn is a delectable golden-yellow vegetable that does bring "the love-light to the eye."



Here is corn-on-the-cob, steamed in Thrift Cooker of the electric range, and ready for its bath of melted butter.

With the approach of late summer, corn becomes one of the most popular of the vegetables appearing on our tables—and deservedly so. Its plump kernels filled with golden meat just get "the seal of approval" from everyone.

Of course, that corn has first to be "tested and inspected" at the market before it ever reaches our tables. And these are the criteria used in judging. The husks on fresh sweet corn are bright green and look fresh. The kernels are plump and well-filled but soft and milky. The "nail test" shows a milky fluid when you break the fresh tender kernel of the corn; if doughy, the corn is too mature.

Cook in Thrift Cooker
After your market basket is filled with well-chosen corn, you will want to take it home and cook it to a delicious tenderness. And this is the time you really appreciate your modern electric range. The Thrift Cooker on the surface unit of the new automatic electric range is just made, it seems, to cook corn "as you like it."

At last you have a container large enough to hold all of the ears of

corn is steamed—not submerged in, literally, gallons of boiling water. There's no "poking" around in an attempt to "stab" the ears of corn, there's no waste or loss of heat units.

After the corn is cooked to just that desired tenderness, you can melt the butter for the corn in a saucepan right on top of the electric range. The low controlled-heat surface units simply won't let the butter burn.

You'll be wanting to have some of these delicious golden - yellow ears of corn for a meal very soon, so here is the easy Thrift Cooker method of cooking them.

Thrift Cooker Corn
Select ears of uniform size. Pour 1 1/2 cups of water in the Thrift Cooker kettle. Turn switch to High. As soon as the water boils, place the corn in the kettle and continue cooking on High until steam appears from the vent. Tender corn will be cooked at this point.

If older corn is being cooked, turn the switch to Low after steaming is well established and continue steaming 30 minutes. Place on a warm platter and pour over melted butter to which chopped parsley has been added.

ENTERTAINS CLUB

The "Monday Night" bridge club of New Madrid, met at the home of Mrs. Pleas Malcolm on Ranney, Wednesday night. Those attending were as follows: Miss Helen Phelan; Mrs. E. C. Ralston; Mrs. L. L. Schuette; Mrs. Edward LaValle; Mrs. Howard Hampton; Mrs. Harry Lee LaFont; Mrs. Floyd Turner; Mrs. Adolph Peters; Mrs. Pat Edwards; Mrs. Alex Waters; Mrs. Lena Rademaker; Mrs. Richard Phillips; Miss Ben Bledsoe; Mrs. Mason Emerson; Miss Lucille Sharp; Miss Lucille Sloas; Miss Coleen Harris; Mrs. W. L. LaFont; Mrs. S. J. Harris; Miss Bettie Jean Bunker; Mrs. Earl Brown; and Miss Lois Schuette of Cape Girardeau; Miss Lois Schuette receiving high score, was presented a manicure set. Mrs. Howard Hampton, sec-

ond high score, also received a manicure set, and Miss Ben Bledsoe low score, receiving a compact. Refreshments of sandwiches, salad, iced tea, and ice cream were served.

Voting Official: "Pardon, me, lady, but there's some mistake here. Someone has already voted in your name."

Young Lady: "Oh, that's alright! You see I voted this morning but I want to change it now and vote for the other man."

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- Costume Slips Pink and White Broadcloth19c, 29c, 39c, 49c
- All Ladies' Summer Hats25c
- Men's Straw Hats 1/2 Price.
- Men's Summer Dress Pants87c, \$1.25, \$1.50

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The Sikeston team will be selected from the following players: Miller, Ault, May, Hudson, Mast, Cokenaur, Dace, Swaim, Crain, Morrow, Bandy, Rogers, Kindred, Stacy, Beaird, Law and Sheery—The Dowell Kathleens defeated the Illmo-Bucks Sunday 4 to 1, and we are expecting an exceptionally fast game.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE NOTICE

Whereas, Albion H. Anderson, a single man, by his deed of trust dated October 9th, 1926, filed in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, Missouri, and recorded in Book No. 48 at Pages Nos. 481-482, conveyed to Commerce Trust Company of Kansas City, Missouri, Trustee, for the purpose of securing the indebtedness therein described, the following described property situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

13.20 acres, off of the south side of Survey thirteen (13), Township twenty-eight (28) North, Range fifteen (15) East of the Fifth Principal Meridian; and 28.75 acres off of the north side of Survey twelve (12), Township twenty-eight (28) North, Range fifteen (15) East of the Fifth Principal Meridian; and 144.73 Principal Meridian; and 144.73 acres, that part of Survey twelve (12), Township twenty-eight (28) North, Range fifteen (15) East of the Fifth Principal Meridian, contained in the following metes and bounds: Beginning at a sandstone bound, running at a sandstone bound of said U. S. P. Survey 12, line 6 degrees 22 minutes west 4 chains and 30 links from the additional corner at the intersection of the line between Sections 20 and 29 and the west line of said Survey; thence from said beginning point north 6 degrees 22 minutes west along the west line of said Survey 12 a distance of 12.57 chains to a sandstone bound; thence north 14 degrees 19x10x10 (Jones 1879); thence north 81 degrees 58 minutes east a distance of 104.38 chains to a pump pipe (Warner 1909); thence south 58 degrees 54 minutes east a distance of 6.11 chains to a pump pipe (Warner 1909); thence south 54 degrees 24 minutes west a distance of 45 chains to a pump pipe (Warner 1909); thence north 60 degrees 2 minutes west a distance of 5.50 chains to a post (Warner 1909); thence north 29 degrees 58 minutes east a distance of 11.02 chains to a sandstone bound; thence north 29 degrees 58 minutes east a distance of 72.06 chains to the place of beginning: Together with all accretions and riparian rights. Excepting that portion conveyed by Albion H. Anderson to Levee District No. 2 of Scott County, Missouri by deed in Book 75, Page 324 of the records of deeds to lands in said county and state described as follows: Being all that part of United States Private Surveys number 12 and 13 being bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a pipe in the line between the Sewell and Anderson tracts, said pipe being about 49.5 feet west of the center line of the levee as now constructed; thence south 65 degrees 33 minutes east at a distance of 1742.9 feet intersect the line between United States Private Surveys number 12 and 13; said intersection being south 82 degrees 46 minutes west and about 53.0 feet distant from the center line of the levee; thence south 65 degrees and 33 minutes east a distance of 489.4 feet to a point; thence south 20 degrees and 38 minutes East a distance of 229.2 feet to a pipe in the line between the Anderson and Caldwell Tracts, said pipe being south 54 degrees 47 minutes West and 23.5 feet distant from the center line of the levee as now constructed; thence north 54 degrees 47 minutes East along the line between the Anderson and Caldwell Tracts a distance of 132.7 feet to a pipe; thence north 22 degrees 14 1/2 minutes West a distance of 398.7 feet to a point; thence north 65 degrees 32 minutes West at a distance of 62.8 feet intersect the line between United States Private Surveys number 12 and 13; thence north 65 degrees 52 minutes west a distance of 1768.5 feet to a pipe in the line between the Sewell and Anderson Tracts; thence south 82 degrees 02 minutes West along the line between the Sewell and Anderson Tracts a distance of 402.7 feet to the place of beginning, containing in the aggregate, viz: 11.191 acres. Containing in the aggregate, less exception, 275.498 acres.

Whereas, the owner and holder of said indebtedness appointed the undersigned as Substitute Trustee, which appointment of substitute trustee was duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, Missouri; and

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of taxes as provided for in said deed of trust, and default has been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and the holder of said indebtedness has required me to sell the said real estate according to the terms of said deed of trust.

Now Therefore, at the request of the holder and owner of said indebtedness, I, E. C. Pierce, Substitute Trustee, do hereby give notice that by virtue of the power and authority given to me by said deed of trust, and the aforesaid appointment of substitute trustee, I shall proceed to sell the real estate hereinabove and in said deed of trust described, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Scott County Court House at Benton, Missouri, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29, 1936 between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M., and 5 o'clock P. M., on that day beginning at or about the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of satisfying and paying the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and the cost of executing this trust.

Witness my signature this 31st day of July, 1936.

E. C. PIERCE,
Substitute Trustee.
(90-92-94-96)

The Skeston Standard \$2 per year:

SCOUTS FIND RIVER
JOURNEY INTERESTING

Good fish, a hunt for Indian relics, a threat, and a little rain helped make a leisurely Boy Scout expedition down the St. Francis river last week very interesting.

C. G. Morrison, the area Scout executive and fifteen Scouts, including Charles Leonard Kirk and P. D. Malone, left Camp LeWallen early last Monday morning (August 3) to paddle down the river to Fisk.

The St. Francis was very low, and because of rapids near the camp, they had to carry their seven boats every 100 yards until they passed below Sam A. Baker state park. They swam a little and caught so many crapple and bass they grew almost tired of eating fish. And sometimes they stopped to find arrowheads in fields along the bank.

For one day and two nights they stayed at Davidson's Blue Springs, a small resort about ten miles south of Greenville, and although they passed through old Indian country they were threatened only once: at Wappapello. There they camped for the night and several Scouts went to town. As they were returning, the "Blackjacks", a group of playful boys, stopped them on the road and told them they had an hour to leave their grounds. The Scouts were unconcerned, though, and went to bed. At 10:30 they were shaken by a blast of dynamite 200 yards away. No one was hurt, of course, but P. D. Malone was tossed until morning.

P. D. had other troubles, one Scout said. He rode alone in his kayak, and occasionally he had a pretty hard time missing the snags. Most of the other boys had rowboats, but there was one canoe, which Morrison and some Scouts had to guide into camp by flashlight one night after they'd fished too long.

Weather was ideal for the trip. There was only an hour of sunshine, yet skies were clear enough until Saturday morning, when the boys awoke at 3:30 and found rain falling. They got up and packed, and at daylight they set off for Fisk. They reached it at 10 o'clock. Charles Leonard Kirk said they might never have arrived there if they had believed a farmer they questioned. When asked him the distance to Fisk he said it was seventy-five miles by the government scales. He knew because he used to float logs to the town. The Scouts needed only ten miles to reach it, however. From there George W. Kirk brought his son home and a truck took the other Scouts back to camp.

WOMEN'S CLUB MEET TO
BE AT CARUTHERSVILLE

A ninth district meeting of the Missouri federation of women's clubs will be held in Caruthersville on October 15 and 16. Mrs. H. H. Muehl of St. Louis, recently elected president of the federation, announced in Los Angeles, Calif., where she is spending the summer.

CHANEY 4-H CLUB MEETS
AT MINNIE BYRD'S HOME

Members of the Chaney 4-H club met at the home of the vice-president, Minnie Lee Byrd. Five members and the leader were present.

Work was done on dresses girls are making, and Minnie Lee Byrd and Mary E. Royal were chosen to give team demonstrations at Benton.

Three girls intend to go to Arcadia the last of the month for a district 4-H club round-up.

EBERT-KREADY TO MEET
WITH MRS. ROSS AUG. 20

The Ebert Kready Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. N. Ross Thursday afternoon, August 20, with Mrs. J. L. Tanner assisting. Mrs. J. R. Nolen will be program leader for the afternoon and will have as her subject "He Healed Our Diseases." Mrs. J. H. Kready will be devotional leader.

The birthday party scheduled to be held this month has been postponed until September, when it will be held at the home of Mrs. G. A. Dempster.

DEPOSITS IN MISSOURI
BANKS GAIN \$114,489,240

Deposits in Missouri banks increased \$114,489,240 in the last year while loans gained \$20,761,254 in the same period, according to a recent statement by O. H. Moberly, state finance commissioner. The statement represented the condition of the financial institutions as of June 30.

Total deposits were reported as \$615,775,090 in comparison with \$530,035,081 on deposit June 29, 1935. Loans were announced as \$226,515,130 while a year ago they were \$205,753,876.

The banks reported their resources in bonds and stock at \$335,453,682. Total resources as of June 30 were \$865,765,809, representing a gain of \$113,799,665 in the last year.

That Baron von Drails is referred to as "the father of the bicycle". In 1816 he invented a vehicle to assist him in performing his duties as chief forester to Duke of Baden?

DON'T SLEEP ON LEFT
SIDE—AFFECTS HEART

If stomach GAS prevents sleeping on right side try Adlerika. One dose brings out poison and relieves gas pressing on heart so you sleep soundly all night.—White's drug store.

Personal And
Society Items
From Matthews

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Binford, D. Pfifer and Bob Spalding spent from Thursday until Saturday at Big Springs and Arcadia.

Miss Helen Waters left Tuesday for St. Louis where she will stay several days visiting relatives.

Mrs. Bob Rushing and daughter, Mrs. Selma Dale were called to St. Louis Monday on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Rushing's brother who was injured in an automobile accident.

Mrs. F. D. Baughlin spent the week end in Canolou with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stroud and children have returned from Evansville, Ind., where they went to get their little daughter Betty, who has been there several weeks visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Mae Burch.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Depro of near Skeston visited the former parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Depro Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leasie Carruthers, and Mrs. Lois Daugherty of Fredricktown returned Saturday from Kerreville, Texas, where they have been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Britt McGee and daughter, Mrs. Helen, accompanied Rev. Herschel Yates and Mrs. Yates to Richwood, Tuesday evening where Rev. Yates is assisting with a revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Byrd and children arrived Tuesday from Flint, Mich., to spend several weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Breckenridge of Washington County are visiting at the home of Supt. and Mrs. J. N. Hucklep this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hinton of Dogwood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Godwin.

Mrs. Ben Mills returned home Saturday from Bertrand where she was called on account of the illness of her niece Mrs. Alfred Gossett. Betty Ann Gossett accompanied Mrs. Mills home to spend a few days.

Misses Blanche and Bernice Godman are spending the week in Malden with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Vaughn.

Misses Opal and Mabel Caruthier will leave soon for Memphis, where they will attend business college.

That the actual official alien count in this country is 4,564,933 of which 2,141,166 are men and 2,423,767 are women.

Missouri State Fair's 1935 Champion



The Champion Jack at last year's State Fair, exhibited by Heineman & Son, Dighton, Kans., poses with his owner, Mr. Heineman, Sr., who is a regular exhibitor at Missouri's Mule and Jack show, to be held August 22-29, 1936, at the Thirty-sixth Missouri State Fair.

BUILDING A BETTER STATE

"Is Insanity Curable?"

By G. Wilse Robinson, Jr., M. D., President, Kansas City Mental Hygiene Society.

The Mental Hygiene Society has worked long and diligently to correct abuses in the treatment of the mentally incompetent, and has accomplished wonders, but much is yet to be done.

The present problem consists of defective buildings, undermanned staffs, lack of money for proper treatment and proper research.

These conditions must be eradicated if the unfortunate insane are to receive the care to which they are entitled. Many hospitals today have one doctor to four or five hundred patients, one nurse to 20 or 30 patients, and 50 to 100 patient share crowded into one ward built to accommodate 25 or 30.

Research is necessary, because the annual national bill of caring for dementia praecox is \$350,000,000. The wise expenditure of a few thousand might lead us to the solving of the mystery of this disease, and if cure were effected the ultimate expenditure for the care of this condition would be a fraction of what it is today.

These conditions can only exist,

and the stagnation in the mental health attitude of our people can only continue, when the public is disinterested. For that reason, Missouri needs a Mental Hygiene Society, first to educate and remove all of the mysteries surrounding these conditions, bring people to the realization that proper treatment will cure many conditions that today are considered incurable, make them willing to dig deeper into their pockets to finance a proper state hospital program because they can see that a minor expenditure now may lead to a tremendous saving in the future.

And finally, this aroused public opinion will force those few who might be delinquent of their responsibilities to change their ways and bring Missouri to its proper place in leadership in mental health.

Therefore, I ask the cooperation of all who might be interested in this problem, both from a personal standpoint and from the standpoint of social obligations, to cooperate and to communicate with either the Kansas City Mental Hygiene Society or the Missouri Mental Hygiene Society with headquarters in St. Louis, so that their names may be placed on the mailing list and they may be kept informed as to the steps taken to organize a Missouri Mental Hygiene Committee in fact.

as well as in name. And if they should be interested in organizing local societies for the purposes of education, please call upon one of the above groups so that they may help such organizations get started and become a force in the community.

Dr. McMullin Will Take
Special Course At Denver

Dr. B. L. McMullin will leave Saturday morning for Denver, Colo., where he will take a special course for two weeks at The Denver Polyclinic and Post-Graduate College, Specializing in Orthodontic Surgery, (Rectal Diseases) Dr. McMullin will return to Skeston September 1. During his absence his office will be closed.

COUNTY CORN CONDITION
38 PER CENT OF NORMAL

Scott county farmers have reported corn condition to be 38 per cent of normal as of August 1 this year, compared with the August 1, 1930, condition of 25 per cent; 1934 of 36 per cent; 1935 of 57 per cent; and the five-year average (1929-1933) of 58 per cent.

They reported oats on August 1, 1936, at a condition of 51 per cent, compared with the condition on August 1, 1930, of 50 per cent; in 1934 of 57 per cent; 1935 of 45 per cent; and the five-year average of 51 per cent.

Columbia, Mo., Aug. 13.—According to reports received from farmers by E. A. Logan, division of crop and livestock estimates, bureau of agricultural economics, corn condition as of August 1, 1936, was 20 per cent, compared to 12 per cent on August 1, 1934, and indicating a production of 40,032,000 bushels for the state, compared with 32,012,000 bushels in 1934. The majority of counties report corn condition as slightly better than in 1934.

The wheat yield is reported at 15 bushels per acre, a total production of 29,760,000 bushels, compared with a yield of 15.1 bushels and production of 24,704,000 bushels in 1934.

Oats show a condition of 58 per cent compared with 20 per cent on August 1, 1934, indicating a total production of 29,682,000 bushels compared with the 1934 production of 15,249,000 bushels. The 1936 yield per acre of 18 compares with 13 in 1934.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 15—

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AUGUST 19-20—RHYTHM ON THE
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With Bing Crosby, Frances Farmer and Bob Burns.

SPECIAL NOTICE—

You can attend the Matinee Tuesday, register, and have a chance to win Bank Deposit without being present Tuesday night.

American Theatre
Charleston, MissouriFRIDAY, AUGUST 14—
PAL NIGHT

"HUMAN CARGO"
With Brian Donlevy and Claire Trevor.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15—

MOONLIGHT MURDER
With Chester Morris and Madge Evans.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY,
AUGUST 16-17—

SATAN MET A LADY
With Bette Davis and Warren William.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18—
BANK NIGHT
"3 WISE GUYS"
With Robert Young and Betty Furness.

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, AUGUST 19-20—
UNDER TWO FLAGS
With Ronald Colman, Victor McLaglen, Claudette Colbert and Rosiland Russell.

Personal and Society News From Oran

Miss Louanna Fulenwider was a recent Sunday visitor in St. Louis, going up with Sikeston friends to meet her sister, Mrs. Dell Marston who has been in Kentucky for some time visiting her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Womack spent Sunday fishing in Current river.

Z. A. Heisserer and family were guests Sunday at a lamb barbecue in New Madrid.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Womack were in Cape Girardeau last Friday.

Mrs. Dick Alfultis came home Sunday from Farmington where she has been the past week with Mrs. Alfultis.

Mrs. May Fulenwider and daughter Mrs. Dell Marston went to Marston one day last week. They were accompanied as far as Sikeston by Mrs. W. B. Myers. Mrs. Marston is a member of the school faculty at Marston, her school commencing this week.

Mrs. Gladys Sikes and baby son came home Friday of last week from the S. E. Mo. hospital at Cape Girardeau. Mrs. Mary Green was dismissed last week also and Mrs. Ralph Moddow who was a surgical patient is at home.

Mrs. Hale, mother of Mrs. Jas. DePriest spent Saturday night at the home of her daughter. The Hale's are moving to St. Louis from Fulton, Kentucky.

Mrs. Dick Benson and daughter Miss Gail are visiting home folks in Mountain Grove. Mrs. Benson's sister came from Chicago for a short visit and accompanied them to Mountain Grove.

Ellis Ates is home from an extended visit in St. Louis. Marion Murphy of Morley was a business visitor here Friday of last week.

Simon Banks of Cape Girardeau had business here Saturday and Monday.

Mrs. Frank Crader and daughters, Mrs. Frank and children, Mrs. Zimmerman and son Bobby and Miss Thelma Crader were in Cape Girardeau Saturday.

Missus Bill Frank and Jess Chas. H. Hansford came Saturday night to accompany Mrs. Frank and children home Sunday. Miss Wilma Crader returned to the city with them and Mrs. Geraldine Zimmerman and son accompanied them as far as Forrester.

Fred Bowman was up from Morehouse and went to Fomfelt Monday accompanied by J. F. Crader.

sons of Mrs. Virgin Morrison have day night for a visit with Gordon Reynolds and other friends. He reports the family as well pleased with their home in Troy.

Rev. Layton received word Saturday that his cousin, Mrs. Bruce was one of the ladies who was drowned at Cairo. Mrs. Bruce had been visiting Rev. Layton's parents at Sikeston.

The Morrison boys of Sikeston, the tiny baby at the Rube Tin-ben visiting Mr. and Mrs. McLain.

The tiny baby at the Rube Tindall home is seriously ill.

Mr. Walls took charge of the Mo. Pac. section crew August 1st, after a several months absence due to ill health. Mr. Bess who has been taking Mr. Wall's place the past five months was transferred to Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lloyd and small son of Jackson were here over the week end. They were in Portageville Sunday.

Miss Neva Mason of Commerce has been a guest at the Emory Mason home.

Friends here have received cards announcing the arrival of Miss Nancy Friend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Bollinger in St. Louis. This is the first child. Mrs. Francis Friend has been in St. Louis making the acquaintance of her new granddaughter.

Municipal Opera Presents
Victor Herbert's Extravaganza "The Red Mill"

St. Louis, Mo., August 10.—Victor Herbert's gay and amusing operetta extravaganza, "The Red Mill," will be the Municipal Opera's eleventh offering of the 1936 season. The production's initial performance will be given next Monday night, August 17, at the outdoor theatre in Forest Park.

George Price, famous comedian, will return to head a special cast of merry-makers that will be seen in the Herbert piece. Price will play the comedy role of "Kid" Conner while the part of his partner-in-humor, "Con" Kidder, will be taken by the other popular Municipal Opera mirth-provoker, Gil Lamb.

Ruby Mercer, whose golden soprano voice leaves a deeper impression each time she sings before opera goers, will appear in the title feminine role of Gretchen. William Hain, brilliant lyrical tenor, will play the role of the sentimental lover, Capt. Doris Van Damm. Joseph MacCallay, who has been as burlesomaster Jan Van Borkem, Audrey Christie, comedienne, will be seen as the perky Tina. Others in the cast include Zama Cunningham, June Havoc, Bertram Peacock, Al Downing, Detmar Poppen and John Cherry.

As part of the fun features scheduled for the Herbert offering will be the debut of Jack Powell, sensational musical comedian. The comedian has been featured in all the principal vaudeville theatres in this country as well as in musical stage successes.

"The Red Mill" proved to be one of the biggest successes of Herbert's career. It was presented for the first time anywhere on

Sept. 24, 1906 at the Knickerbocker Theatre, New York, where it ran for nearly a year. However, it has been revived many times since in New York and everywhere else in the world. Fred Stone and the late David Montgomery were featured in the two principal comedy roles.

The plot which was written by Henry Blossom, is laid in picturesque Holland. "Con" and "Kid", two Americans, are doing Europe in big style. They become stranded in a Dutch town, unable to pay their innkeeper for room and board. They try to escape without paying, but are caught and forced to work out their board bill. Gretchen is in love with Captain Van Damm but her father has other ideas and wants her to marry the Governor. She is locked up in the mill for safe-keeping and is rescued by the two Americans. But the entanglements and involvements are conducive to plenty of comedy and romance.

Principal musical numbers of the Herbert score are "You Never Can Tell About Women," "Whistle It," "Mignonette," "The Isle of Dreams," "Good-a-bye John," "If You Love But Me" and "The Streets of New York."

Beginning Monday night, August 23, the Municipal Opera will present its final production of the eighteenth season, the American premiere of the Drury Lane Theatre, London, spectacle, "Glamorous Night," with an all-star singing cast headed by Guy Robertson and Norma Terris.

MISSOURI HAS TREASURY BALANCE OF \$20,286,546

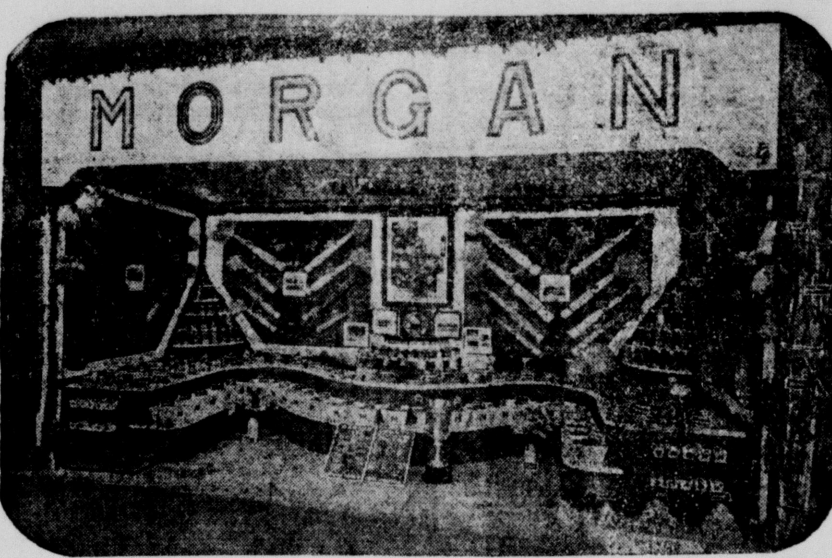
Missouri had a balance of \$20,286,546.50 in its state treasury at the close of business on July 31, according to the monthly report of State Treasurer Richard R. Nacy. The amount is \$868,972.74 more than the general treasury balance of \$19,417,573.76 on June 30.

The present balance in the state revenue fund is shown by the report to be \$3,474,846.31, as compared with \$2,995,983.56 a month previous. Receipts during July totaled \$2,170,981.64 while disbursements were \$1,692,118.64.

Other large balances as of July 31 were \$421,624 in the Blind Pension Fund; \$1,088,822 in the county foreign insurance tax fund; \$975,298 in the State Penitentiary Revolving Fund; \$815,540 in the Soldiers' Bonus Interest and Sinking Fund; \$3,429,542 in the State Building Fund; \$741,662 in the State Highway Department Fund; \$580,175 in the State Interest Fund; \$397,287 in the State Road Fund; \$893,325 in the State Road Interest and Sinking Fund, and \$4,232,258 in state school funds.

The report shows the bonded indebtedness of the state on July 31 was \$113,316,000. Of this amount, \$104,990,000 was in state road bonds, \$5,000,000 in state building bonds, and \$3,326,000 in soldier bonus.

County Displays at State Fair



A typical county agricultural display from Morgan County, winner of first award at a previous State Fair. Such displays will again be featured in the Agriculture building at Missouri State Fair, August 22-29.

NEW MADRID COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS

By Milus R. Davis
Point Pleasant has just finished building a new primary room to the Ward School. Last year the primary teacher held school in a rented building. Previous to that, one teacher tried to handle from 60 to 80 pupils. Schools opened August 3 with Earl Washburn and Eva Smith as teachers at Ward and Kathleen O'Kelley at town. W. H. Lander is the colored teacher.

The Scott District, near Portageville, is completing a splendid two-room building at a cost of about \$3500, which will be one of the nicest rural schools in the county and will be as comfortable as a brick building which would have cost twice as much. The foundation is concrete and the frame is first covered with one-inch lumber nailed on diagonally, then a layer of composition storm sheeting, with weather boarding on the outside. The ceiling is of composition fiber. These four layers of protection make a warm building. The floor is double, the first layer being put on diagonally. The base is 25 by 70 with an 8 by 32 projection in front for hall and cloak rooms. Each room will be 25 by 35 with a row of large windows on the side reaching nearly to the ceiling. Mr. Cunningham of Portageville is the contractor and builder and B. C. Wrather of the school board is the timekeeper and supervisor.

The old building burned this spring a week before the end of the school term.

The new State Courses of Study have been received. Again this year they are in skeleton form being merely a summary of the 1933-34 course, but next year we are to have a brand new course. However, we hope that the out-

line is not altered too much especially where our textbooks follow the course so well.

Conran has just completed a new colored school building in the newly settled territory in the western part of the district. Johnnie P. Jones moved in there about two years ago and brought with him a number of colored families. The new teacher is Chas. H. Ward of Carbondale. Conran already had two colored schools. Their schools opened August 3 with Sterling G. Croell as superintendent.

The faculty has been reported previously. The school board members are: Albert Hoggard, President; T. A. Penman, Secretary; Charley Pikey, Treasurer; J. F. Litzelfelder; Gus Eiceman; D. M. Smith; Cody Swilley.

The University of Missouri hospital provided a free clinic for crippled children at New Madrid last Saturday. Children under 15 were examined and recommendations for treatment made. Modern surgery almost makes miracles in correcting human defects.

Kewanee schools opened August 10 with Lynn M. Twitty as superintendent and faculty as follows: Milford Ellis, Oma Koepel, Edith Hinck of Whitewater, Ruth Moore of Chaffee, Alma Keller of Chaffee, Alice Deane of Matthews, Catherine Dryer of Festus, and Ruby McGuire of Malden. Colored teachers are W. A. Boone and wife. School board members are: C. V. Hunott, President; U. P. Daugherty, Secretary; Mrs. Fred Hettlage, Treasurer; Curtis Wescoat; S. C. Beeson; R. G. Brotherton; Sam E. Billington; Fred A. Hettlage.

Gideon schools began August 3 with L. B. Hoy serving his twenty-first year as superintendent. Mr. Hoy states that they are making

the second trial to get a new building under the PWA. In the first effort they failed to sell the bonds because of the state supreme court dissolving the consolidation and throwing them back under the old organization—Gideon town district No. 37. In the second effort they voted \$50,000.00 bonds and are now waiting for the government to appropriate the money for their part of the PWA Project. The new building is to cost \$90,100.00 in which the state pays \$20,000.00, the Federal Government \$39,600.00, and the local district \$48,500.00. It is planned to have 16 class rooms, a study hall, and a gymnasium.

The teaching staff at Gideon this year is: Jas. F. Miller, E. P. Crow, Nettie Jackson, Marie Cunningham, Mary Parker, Stella Gaebler, Florence Westmyer, Duane Axtell, G. W. Carson, A. R. Pierce, Dewey Swindell, Ona Weston, Kathryn Schmuck, Marjorie Anderson, Pauline Milburn, Alice Rhodes, Jessie McCullough, Mary Lee, Eugene Spickelmier, Flora Mae Hoy, Louise Lee, Edna Randolph, Willard Johnson,

N. R. Pierce, Paul Dixon, Rose Marie Tinsley, John Dickey, Ralph LaBrot, Chas. Ferguson, and Eugene Clayton (colored).

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BILL MALONE MAKES LOW MEDAL SCORE IN TOURNEY

Bill Malone was awarded a gold medal and six golf balls Sunday when he turned in the low medal score in a state-wide highway employees' golf tournament in Jefferson City. Malone shot an 80 to become ranking player among division members. Scores of the state office players were not included in the competition. St. Joseph division men won the tournament and a trophy. Division ten was represented by Eddie Mathis, W. E. Mahew, L. R. Burns, Frank Hequembourg, Don

Hearnes, H. A. Trowbridge, and Bill Malone.

ON MOTOR TRIP

Charles Leonard Kirk and Reese Stoner of Springfield, Mo., left Tuesday morning for a motor trip to New Orleans, Miami, Fla., and many other interesting cities, including Washington, D. C., and New York City. They expect to be away until the first of September.

F. D. Lair transacted business in St. Louis the first of the week.

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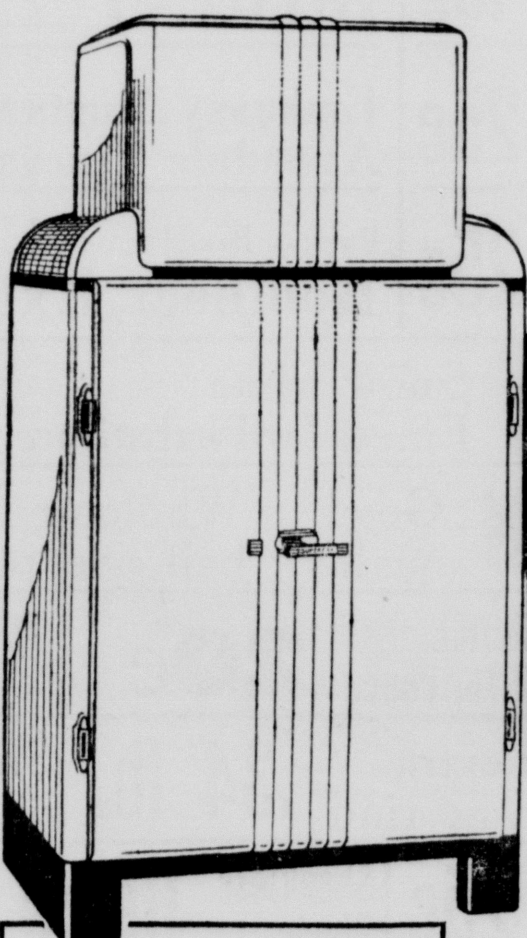
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GRAPES FOR SALE—See R. H. Montgomery, Southwest St. and Murray Lane. Sikeston. tf-92

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FOR RENT—2 modern sleeping rooms. 627 Greer Ave. Phone 455. 21-92

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843.00 acres of cut-over timber land, Bollinger County, Missouri, Section 31, Twp. 28, Range 9, suitable for pasture land, 3-4 miles from highway, with drainage tax for 1935 and prior years fully paid, price \$84.00. Will sell all or part, subject to prior sale and state and county taxes, about \$1.50 per acre additional.

175.00 acres cleared land, Stoddard County, Missouri, Section 16, Township 26, Range 12, on all weather road, good soil, fair buildings, fenced, with drainage tax for 1935 and prior years fully paid, price \$250.00, subject to prior sale and all state and county taxes, about \$2.00 per acre additional.

314.00 acres, Stoddard County, Missouri, Section 25, Township 26, Range 12, about 190 acres cleared, drainage ditch on west line, good land, fair improvements, drainage taxes for 1935 and prior years fully paid, price \$1500.00, subject to prior sale and all state and county taxes, about \$2.00 per acre additional.

For additional information or complete land list, write to The Little River Drainage District, Cape Girardeau, Missouri. 88-90-92.

FIRST CREDITORS' MEETING

In the District Court of the United States for the Southeastern Division of the Eastern District of Missouri.

In the matter of Eugene Lynch, Sikeston, Mo., Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy No. 1932.

To the creditors of Eugene Lynch of Sikeston, Missouri, and District aforesaid, Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on August 13, 1936, said Eugene Lynch was adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned Referee in Bankruptcy, in the Cahoon Bldg., in the City of Cape Girardeau, State of Missouri, on Monday, August 24th, 1936, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time and place the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

At said meeting the creditors will consider the advisability of the sale of all the assets, real estate and personal property of said estate at public or private sale, subject to approval or confirmation by the court.

Cape Girardeau, Mo., August 13, 1936.

JOSEPH L. MOORE, Referee in Bankruptcy.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pitman, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pitman and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Moll spent Sunday on Current river.

Mrs. Ben Carroll, Mrs. Allen Mocabee and Mrs. B. Patterson spent Wednesday in Paducah, Ky. Mrs. Carroll visited at the home of Mrs. J. C. Saunders where Miss Elaria Carroll has been a guest the last three weeks.

Miss Margaret and Miss Hita Clymer, Miss Wilma Ragains and Miss Dorothea Miller motored to Kansas City, Jefferson City and Columbia, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Moring Clark and sons Ben and Moring Jr., of Plant City, Fla., arrived Wednesday afternoon for a two-weeks visit with Mrs. Clark's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilbur.

We received a card Thursday from Harry and David Blanton postmarked Montreal, Canada, saying the weather was delightful and they were enjoying their vacation immensely. In the same mail came a card from Stella Cullen, Mrs. Blanton's youngest sister, written from Cambridge, England, saying she was leaving the next day for points in Austria. Stella is supervisor of girls athletics in the Philadelphia schools.

WOMAN IS CHARGED WITH KILLING FATHER FOR \$200
A warrant charging her with

poisoning her father, W. G. Bond, who died unexpectedly three years ago, was issued Thursday against Mrs. Beulah Fortner, 30-year-old wife of a Stoddard county farmer. Aubrey Edwards, 21, a neighbor, was arrested as a material witness and released under a \$5000 bond.

Sheriff George A. Barham said Mrs. Fortner was beneficiary of a \$200 life insurance policy Bond carried. Mrs. Fortner is said to have paid Edwards and another man to buy poison, which she allegedly put in home brew she gave to Bond.

NEPHEW OF MRS. DARBY DIED TUESDAY MORNING

Mrs. Fanny Darby received word Wednesday of the death of her nephew, Claude Olson, at Fort Worth, Texas, Tuesday morning. His body was sent to Chicago, Ill., for burial. Besides Mr. Darby he is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ruth Olson, Ft. Worth, and sister, Mrs. Blanche Hawkson, Chicago.

WAHITE DITCH TO BE WIDENED FOR 5 MILES

The board of supervisors of the Little river drainage district will receive bids in Cape Girardeau Monday for a project to widen the Wahite ditch in Stoddard county for five and a quarter miles in order that storm water during heavy rains may be carried away satisfactorily.

The project will include excavation of 758,000 cubic yards of earth. The ditch will be widened

at its intersection with Highway 60 from 80 to 120 feet. If weather is favorable, the undertaking will be completed in a few months.

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN'S PAGEANT ON SEPT. 1ST

Mrs. John G. Powell and Mrs. Ed Kendall went to Cape Girardeau Wednesday afternoon to attend a committee meeting of the tenth district Democratic Women's club. At that time arrangements were completed for the pageant which will be presented in Houck stadium on the night of September 1st, instead of August 18, as first planned. The program will commemorate the first anniversary of the club and each county in the district will participate in it.

A birthday dinner at the Marquette Hotel will precede the program and will be attended by the National speaker and other distinguished persons invited to the celebration.

FARMERS TO SAVE FEED AND CONTROL PARASITE

Scott county farmers are showing "intense interest" in plans to save feed, F. B. Veatch, the county agent, told The Standard this week.

One hundred and twenty-five farmers gathered in the Benton community building Monday night to discuss methods of overcoming the drought damage, and at Sikeston, thirty-five men met at the arena Wednesday afternoon to talk of the same project. Drought damage is not noticeable

in lower Scott county, but around Benton and north of there only a few farmers will have enough feed to maintain their stock throughout the winter.

To offset this loss, farmers are salvaging drought damaged corn by converting it into insilage, which has about 50 per cent more feeding value than dry fodder. Some are also planning fall pastures, which, if they are good, will reduce roughage requirements. Barley will be sown on the better lands.

"Parasite control will be given more consideration than ever before," Veatch said. "The scarcity of feed necessitates controlling parasites so the maximum returns can be secured from the feed fed. This includes farm animals of all kinds: sheep, cattle, hogs, and poultry." Veatch said he would be happy to help farmers treat all their animals except horses, which require the attention of veterinarians. An extensive campaign to control Bots in horses will be undertaken later.

RECOVERY NOTES

(Compiled by Dwight H. Brown, Secretary of State.)

Shoe production increased 6.8 per cent in Missouri during the first half of 1936, the U. S. Census Bureau reports. Production in the state rose during the period from 20,737,886 in the first half of 1935 to 22,149,307 this year.

The heaviest freight loadings since 1931 are reported for the first 30 weeks of this year by the American Association of Railroads. Loadings for the period totaled 19,416,417 cars, an increase of 11.7 per cent above the corresponding period of 1935.

Motor car output for the week ending August 1 totaled 97,755, as compared with 69,615 in the corresponding week of last year, Ward's Reports, Inc., estimates.

Business failures in the United States are decreasing. For the week ending June 30 they num-

bered 175 as compared with 191 in the same week a year ago, Dun & Bradstreet reports.

Postal receipts at the Sedalia, Mo., postoffice for the first six months of 1936 increased approximately \$25,000 over the like 1935 period improved business conditions is the cause.

Sales of dry goods in the Eighth Federal Reserve District, which includes St. Louis, were 30.9 per cent greater this June than in the like 1935 month, says the monthly review of the St. Louis Federal Reserve Bank. For the first half of 1936, production and distribution in the district were at their best for any six-month period in the last five years.

Class 1 railways of the nation earned \$238,243,934 net operating income during the first six months of 1936, an increase of 22.5 per cent over the same period a year ago, the Association of American Railroads announces. Gross operating revenues for the period to-

taled \$1,872,928,887, a gain of 14.5 per cent over the first half of 1935.

Share values on the New York Stock Exchange increased \$3,154,000,000 during July, the Exchange announces. It placed the market value of listed shares on August 1 at \$54,066,925,315 compared with \$50,912,398,322 on July 1 and \$38,913,092,713 on August 1, 1935.

The Edison Electric Institute reported sales of household electric refrigerators in the United States during June totaled 237,371, against 161,525 in June, 1935. For the six months ended June 30 sales were 1,441,559, against 1,105,473 a year ago.

Judge: "Who was driving when you hit that car?"
Culprit (triumphantly, about three sheets in the wind): "None of us, Judge; we was all sitting in the back seat."

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New Crop Peaches Rosedale or Large No. 15c
Avondale 2 1-2 can

SALMON Country Club, fancy 23c Fancy Pink or 10c
red, tall can Chum, tall can

COFFEE C. CLUB 25c FRENCH 20c JEWEL, 3 pounds 47c
pound 1 lb. bag 16c

WESCO Crackers Salted 2 lb. box 15c
or Plain

Country Club Green ASPARAGUS Fall No. 2 can 19c
Country Club Apple Butter 38 ounce jar 15c

Clifton Toilet Tissue 5 rolls 19c
Country Club HOMINY 3 No. 2 1-2 cans 25c

DOGGIE DINNER 3 16-ounce cans 25c
Embassy Mustard, qt. jar 10c
Avondale Vinegar, qt. bottle

Kool-Aid or Drink-Aid Asst. 6 flavors pkg. 25c
Puritan Brand Rootbeer Extract, bot. 10c

Shortening Snow white 12c
Finest lard substitute, pound

SUGAR CURED BACON Good Whole or 26c
quality half side, pound

BEEF Kroger Quality ROAST CHOICE CUTS, Pound 20c FIRST CUTS Pound 17c

SLICED BACON Kroger extra quality, no rind .34 lb. Sliced bacon no rind no waste lb. 29

Hamburger Fresh Ground 2 lbs. 25c
Shankless Picnic Hams lb. 23c

Oleo Superfine brand 2 lbs. 23c
Sugar Cured Bacon Butts, pound 20c

PEANUT BUTTER bulk 2 lbs. 25c
MINCED HAM, lb. 15c

Bananas Golden Yellow dozen 15c

GRAPES, pound 10c

Oranges Size 216 dozen 33c

Lemons Size 360 dozen 25c

Yellow Onions 10 lbs. 29c

THE
EDITOR
SAYS—

The Standard editor made a hurried visit to Mrs. Blanton in St. Lukes hospital Tuesday and found her just out of the operating room after being given a thorough examination and was feeling pretty bad. Mrs. Blanton feels very grateful for the remembrance of flowers and letters of encouragement sent to her and just as soon as possible will acknowledge same.

The J. T. Bruce family are grateful to friends for their aid and sympathy in the recent untimely death of Mrs. J. T. Bruce. They also wish to thank the pall bearers, those who sent the beautiful flowers, and Rev. Thane for his consoling words. In times of death these favors are more appreciated than words can express.

Mrs. Dona Myers Brown, of Flint, Mich., shed sunshine on the editor's gloom Monday afternoon by a nice visit to the office. She had just returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Taylor at Hot Springs, Ark., and to the former Marjorie Smith at Memphis, Tenn.

Miss Easternelle Dew, of St. Louis, honored the editor with a visit Monday afternoon. She is in Southeast Missouri hospital after short vacation with relatives over about Diehlstadt and friends in Sikeston. We enjoyed her visit very much.

It was very fine of Paul Witt to remember the editor with the largest watermelon that we have seen this season. It was one of those great big round striped fellows.

Tuesday morning at 5:00 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Watkins, Mrs. Mary Griffith and C. L. Blanton, Sr., left Sikeston for Jefferson City. At Farmington breakfast was had and soon after 10:00 arrived in Jefferson City, delivered Mrs. Griffith at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. A. Wilson, then paid our respects to Wilbur Butler, then undressed five large Southeast Missouri watermelons to friends in the Capitol building, lunched where we met John Ferguson of Public Service Commission, then hurried to St. Louis for a short visit with Mrs. Blanton at St. Lukes hospital, to the Lennox Hotel where we expected to meet a Federal Inspector but found he was in Sikeston awaiting our return. At 6:00 o'clock dinner at supper time, and started for Sikeston at 7:00 arriving home at 10:45 after traveling 650 miles without a single accident except to our pocketbook for gas, oil and food. Some trip in a short space of time.

Judge Ernest S. Gantt, of Jefferson City, wished to express his appreciation to all Southeast Missourians who honored him with their vote in the recent primary.

This man Ed Albright, has been known for years to be the raiser of large and juicy watermelons that are almost good enough to make a man rob the patch. Anyway, Wednesday forenoon he left one of these big striped beauties in the Standard office that gladdened the entire force. Then the manager of The Wolf Furniture store, Mrs. Lee Trebbe, kindly let us use a big refrigerator to cool the melon. Thanks.

If a few picture houses in the United States would ask the distributing houses to omit from their list any picture in which Mary Astor is shown it would do much to clarify the morals of movie actresses—maybe. From her own testimony as printed in the papers she appears to be just a high type bawd.

Recently a young man now living in Detroit but formerly of Dunklin county and who was a Republican and from a Republican family, visited Southeast Missouri relatives, stated that he and his wife expected to vote for Mr. Roosevelt this fall as was 90 per cent of the workmen in the plant where he was employed as it was through the New Deal that made it possible for labor to be employed, and for the farmer and business man to be able to carry. This gentleman also stated that the owners and head men were not for Roosevelt but the laboring man was. This is one of the straws that shows which way the wind blows.

John Matthews, formerly known to his friends here as "little" John Matthews, now connected with Wells-Fargo Express Company in St. Louis, is spending the weekend with his foster mother, Mrs. Jos. W. Myers. John says he has a foster father, but he is not worth mentioning, but this mother is wonderful. In years past John was one of the leading farmers of Southeast Missouri, had a wonderful organization and knew how to handle his employees and make a success of it, but fate interfered with his activity as a farmer and he was forced to seek other fields of activity. The Express Company was lucky in getting him. We wonder if the Express Company knows his ability in the handling of their employees and doing their work.

Miss Myra Tanner returned Wednesday from Cairo, where she had been the guest of Mrs. V. J. Rees since Sunday.

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Woman Killed, 3 Hurt in Automobile Wreck Near Here

Mrs. Albert Gammon, 46-year-old trained nurse of Springfield, Mo., was killed and her three companions were injured, two of them seriously, when Mrs. Gammon lost control of the car she was driving east on Highway 60 near Morehouse Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Gammon died a few moments after the accident of internal injuries that caused internal bleeding. She received a spine injury and severe bruises.

Her daughter, Mrs. Anna Marie Wells, 22, also of Springfield, is in Southeast Missouri hospital at Cape Girardeau suffering from internal injuries, a broken shoulder, and numerous cuts and bruises. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gammon, the dead woman's parents-in-law, were also hurt. Mrs. Gammon, who is 66 years old, is also in Southeast Missouri hospital recovering from a severe head injury that raised a great knot above her left eye and from lacerations and bruises on her left leg and hands. Her husband, 77, escaped with minor injuries. Both Mrs. Gammon and Mrs. Wells were reported Wednesday night to be suffering intensely from their wounds. They are expected to recover.

The four had left their homes

in Springfield at 4 o'clock Wednesday morning intending to drive to a town near Nashville, Tenn., to see relatives of Mrs. H. J. Gammon. Shortly afterward, they neared Sikeston, but 200 yards west of Little river bridge, Mrs. Albert Gammon tried to pass a car being driven east by Herb Walton and occupied by L. J. Wilkerson of Cape Girardeau. The left front wheel slipped off the pavement into a four-inch-deep rut, and in trying to get the automobile back onto the pavement, Mrs. Gammon lost control of it. It zigzagged to the south side of the highway, jumped a deep ditch, plunged through a fence, and landed on its top in a corn field after rolling over five or six times and was headed west.

None of the occupants was thrown from the car. Mrs. Wells remaining in the front seat and her grandparents in the rear. Mrs. Gammon died soon after she was taken from the wreckage. Her body was brought to Sikeston, and the three other persons were rushed to Cape Girardeau in the Albritton ambulance.

Albert Gammon, Jr., a son of the dead woman arrived Wednesday night and arranged for her body to be sent to Springfield Thursday for burial.

28,000 MISSOURIANS GET AGE PENSIONS

Jefferson City, Mo., August 12.—Missouri—adding 7000 of them in the last 30 days—today had 28,000 old people on its pension rolls and contemplated putting on other applicants at the rate of 1000 a week.

Forrest Smith, State Auditor, said he had added a night staff of 17 persons to supplement his day staff in certification of the checks for approved applicants.

Smith said he had been informed by Allen M. Thompson, State Old Age Pension Commissioner, that the rest of the applicants would be added at the rate of 1000 a week, the Old Age Assistance Department as well as the State Auditor's office has been working nights in certifying the 7000 in the last month.

Thompson, who a month ago suspended a retroactive clause of the state pension law to enable Missouri to secure dollar-for-dollar matching from the Federal Government in the program, said he expected to increase the pension rolls to 54,000 by November.

ALL-STARS BEAT SENATH TO PLAY DOWELL SUNDAY

By Leo Smith

The newly organized Sikeston baseball club defeated the Senath Redbirds Sunday by a score of 3 to 2 before a crowd of about 1000 spectators.

Glen Ault pitched for the locals and allowed 9 hits although he kept them scattered and could bear down when the going got tough. The locals garnered 16 hits, including a homer by big Jim Miller, off of three opposing pitchers. Ault and Miller were the leading hitters for the locals, each getting 3 hits. Harrison got 3 hits for Senath.

On Sunday, Sikeston will play the Dowell, Ill., Catholics, a really fast ball club that defeated the Illinois Bucks 4 to 1 Sunday. The local all-star team will be chosen from the following players: Miller, Ault, May, Hudson, Mast, Kokenaur, Dace, Swaim, Crain, McGraw, Bandy, Rogers, Kindred, Stacy, Beard, Law, and Sherry. The game will start at 3 o'clock.

Ellise Attends Undertakers' Meet

Arden Ellise went to Cape Girardeau Wednesday night to attend a dinner meeting of the Southeast Missouri Funeral Directors' Association at the Colonial tavern.

HERBERT FICK TO WED RESIDENT OF KENNETT

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss June Karsten of Kennett to Herbert G. E. Fick of Kennett, formerly of Sikeston.

Friends learned of the engagement at a luncheon Mrs. Orville Zimmerman, an aunt of the bride-to-be, gave at her home last Friday. The marriage will take place in October.

Mr. Fick is a representative of the Doane Agricultural Service. He lived here more than a year before his transfer in 1935.

FOUR TO BE TRIED FOR MURDER AT CRAP GAME

Four men of the Bell City community were bound over to the Stoddard county circuit court Wednesday for trial on charges of killing Fred Fulkerson, a 35-year-old mule dealer of Morehouse. Fulkerson was beaten to death at Popperstown, eight miles south of Belle City, July 26 after he and his uncle had won \$18 from the men in a crap game.

The four defendants, Orville, Lee, and Lon Mayberry, brothers, and L. N. Irvin, admitted fighting with the two men but denied using any weapons. Sheriff George Barham, who had the four in jail soon after the murder, said it was apparent Fulkerson had been hit in the head with a club. A fifth man was released after questioning.

NEGRO IS CHARGED WITH SLASHING WIFE'S NECK

A hearing for Walter Smith, a negro accused of assaulting his wife Sunday, was continued in Judge William S. Smith's court Thursday. Prosecuting Attorney W. P. Wilkerson was in the circuit court at Benton.

Smith is charged with wounding his wife with a knife. She is now recovering at a friend's home from a severe cut across the back of her neck.

Judge Joseph W. Myers found John Cole \$25 for driving a truck without a P. S. C. permit.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

The Ellise ambulance took Naomi Pharris of Morehouse to the Southeast Missouri hospital in Cape Girardeau Wednesday for an appendectomy.

That ocean water, below a depth of one mile, remains practically constant in temperature regardless of latitudes.

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FOOTBALL PRACTICE TO START MONDAY EVENING

W. E. Mahew announced yesterday that regular preliminary football practice will begin Monday evening.

Sessions at which recruits and former players will take limbering exercises and will learn again the game's fundamentals will be held each Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday night, beginning at 7:30.

Mahew said he was not certain how many boys would report next week, but he expected almost all who intend to play with the 1936 team. "It's necessary that the men who want places on the squad report for training now," he said, "because this practice will either make them or break them."

This year's team will have many former lettermen, Mahew will be assisted by Tharon Stallings.

60 CADDIES TO PLAY IN GOLF TOURNAMENT TODAY

Between fifty and sixty caddies of seven Southeast Missouri country clubs are expected here today (Friday) for a first annual caddy golf tournament.

George W. Kirk, who is directing the tournament, said caddies from Cape Girardeau, Poplar Bluff, Hayti, Charleston, Dexter, Hillcrest, and Sikeston will be here this morning for the qualifying rounds, which will determine their entrance in the championship class and Classes A and B. Kennett may send a group of players.

Prizes will be awarded for first and second place in each division, for the lowest score on any one round, and for the largest number of birds made on any round.

ALL NEGRO CHILDREN ARE URGED TO ATTEND SCHOOL

Superintendent Roy V. Ellise issued a statement Thursday urging negroes who live in cabins in town to send their children to the Sunset school.

Most negro children who do not live in the addition are attending classes, but the parents of some allowed them to stay at home. It is important that all negro children take class work offered at Sunset, Mr. Ellise said.

MIDWEST TO DISTRIBUTE BLATZ PRODUCTS HERE

The Blatz Brewing Company of Milwaukee, Wis., announced yesterday the appointment of the Midwest Products Company here as distributor of its products in the Sikeston district.

"We're pleased to find that we have been appointed as distributors in Sikeston for the Blatz Brewing Company," Ted Kirby, manager of the Midwest plant, said after reading the announcement. "The company is one of the best known of the Milwaukee breweries, and it is an old reliable firm that has been in the business of producing fine quality beverages since 1851."

Blatz products will be distributed by members of the Midwest staff.

13,000 IN CCC CAMPS SECURED JOBS IN JUNE

A report that nearly 13,000 members of the Civilian Conservation Corps left to accept private jobs during June has just been made public by Robert Fechner, director, with the comment that this was largely attributable to "a general improvement in business conditions."

Explaining that the practical type of education given the young men also was responsible, Director Fechner said the 12,995 discharged to take private employment during the month was the largest group since the camps were reduced to a maximum of 350,000. Total discharges during the year ending June 30 were 145,531, a monthly average of more than 12,000.

"The increased emphasis which has been placed in recent months upon job training instruction in the CCC camps," he added, "has opened the way for many members to find outside employment."

Marrs Retains Title By Defeating Myers

Johnny Marrs kept his title of southern light heavyweight champion Tuesday night after his second match here following his return from a tour of deep south cities.

Marrs lost the first fall of his Tuesday match to Lee Myers, and almost lost a chance for a decision when Myers threw him from the ring, but his ability to win the second and third falls and Myers' own action saved him.

Myers took the first fall in twenty-five minutes with a stab toe hold, and Marrs won the second in twenty with a body straddle and the third in fifteen with a crabhold. Myers, who is a former light heavyweight champion, made a good showing. One

time he forced Marrs into the ropes, and soon afterward, he managed to throw Marrs from the ring, an act that is supposed to bar a defending champion from winning a decision. Myers obliterated his achievement, however, by fouling Marrs before Marrs could return to the ring and so spared him defeat.

In the preliminary, Doc Poole defeated Hyalmar Bjorstrandt, a Norwegian, in two straight falls, taking the first in ten minutes with a body pin and the second in four with a crabhold. Bjorstrandt, who was no match for Poole, was strained severely by the second hold.

Matches will start at 8:30 hereafter instead of at 8:15.

Indian Found With Still Sings In Jail

William Fobar, 29 year old Indian who traces his ancestry back to the tribes that once roamed in the state of Illinois is singing an Indian lullaby in the Butler county jail today. Or perhaps it is the Indian Love Call. Anyhow William is singing and it may be just the blues.

William was all set to become the best equipped Indian medicine man in the business last Monday. He walked the streets of Poe, Missouri, with his chest thrown out as if he owned the town.

Two old friends of William met him on the street. He recognized them as he had a most vivid picture of these two gentlemen in his mind as most Indians do when suspicious of any of their paleface acquaintances.

"How's tricks, Willie? What do you know? Are there any new stills around here that you know about?" the men who happened to be two of Uncle Sam's liquor control agents, queried.

"Don't know of a one, in fact, I'm positive there are none to be found in the county," William answered. The federal agents smiled at Willie and replied, "Well, so long, old boy, we'll be seeing you."

And they did. Just 12 hours later as William walked up to a triple steam still outfit capable of producing 150 gallons of whiskey at a "run." The agents concealed themselves in the weeds near the Stoddard county jail for a m. yesterday morning. About 8 a. m. Willie, armed with a high powered German rifle, walked up to the still. The agents stepped out into the open and started William said, "Well, here I am boys. You said you'd be seeing me, but I didn't think it would be this soon. Here's my gun and that's my still. It's all over now."

Willie's still was the fifty-seventh taken by federal agents in this section since the first of the year. Since August, 1935, 102 have been taken and destroyed.

"No. 37 was a dandy and Willie is one of the most amusing bootleggers said last night. Willie told us he made a much finer grade of firewater for the white men to drink than the white men used to sell to his forefathers," agents quoted the prisoner as saying.

Willie, who gave his occupation as a farmer, had 110 barrels of mash in his possession and was getting ready to run 60 gallons of whiskey off when arrested, agents said. He added that he made about \$45 a day in the whiskey business but would not disclose the identity of his customers. Willie was arraigned before United States Commissioner Arno Ponder last night and pleaded guilty to possession of an unregistered still and unlicensed liquor. He was bound over to the October term of Federal Court in Cape Girardeau and is held in Butler county jail for failure to make \$1500 bond.—Reprinted from Thursday's Poplar Bluff Daily American Republic.

Landon Relief Still On "Thin Dime" Base

A report by the internal revenue office at Wichita that Kansas gained 1,085 liquor licenses over last year, having now a total of 4,520, adds points to the shameful situation in which Governor Landon of that state is leaving relief. He stands stoutly against calling a special session of his legislature to aid thousands of Kansas farmers.

Under the farm amendments to the Kansas Constitution, Governor Landon has ample power to create relief. It would seem that after the federal government had expended 300 million dollars for relief in his state, he would turn a hand when he can. Whatever liquor is sold in Kansas with an alcoholic content of more than 1/2 per cent is dispensed illegally. Landon should either close up these 4,520 places or have his legislature pass a liquor tax law and so take the four-year burden of caring for his people off the shoulders of the rest of the nation.

While the federal government has three agencies working in Kansas caring for the immediate needs of the drought victims and building for their future, Landon is fumbling about on minor matters that will not cost Kansas a "thin dime." A great president Landon would make if he were faced with such a national crisis as President Roosevelt met in 1933!

Presbyterian Auxiliary To Meet

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church will meet Monday night, August 17, at the home of Mrs. Ruby Hamby on East Gladys. All members are urged to be present.

Will Honor Visitors From Calif.

Members of the Tanner family will have a picnic supper Saturday evening on the lawn between the homes of Mrs. Ella Tanner and Mrs. Anna Winchester. The affair will be given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tanner and their two children, of Colton, Calif., who arrived here Sunday. The out-of-town relatives who are expected to attend the supper are: Mr. and Mrs. M. Q. Tanner and daughter, Miss Frances, Miss Mary Ellen and Miss Lois Haw, of Webster Groves; Mr. and Mrs. Hal Moore of Cape Girardeau; Dr. and Mrs. John W. Stokes and little daughter Ann, of Mayfield, Ky.; and Mrs. Robert Lillard of Arlington, Ky.

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Applicant: "Yes. Here is my doctor's certificate showing that I have insomnia."

COMPLIMENTS GUEST

John Dover was host to a group of friends Thursday morning at a bicycle party and breakfast in honor of his cousin, Miss Ruth Carroll of St. Louis, who is visiting in the G. H. Dover home.

CLASS ALL-STARS TO PLAY: CAPE MEN TO MEET SIKES

The Junior Chamber of Commerce has scheduled two good softball games for this (Friday) night.

As an opener, the Sikes Hardware team will meet men playing on the Marquette Cement Company team of Cape Girardeau. The second game will be between the Class A and the Class B All-Stars.

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The New Deal as a whole has created 100 billion, some economists say 150 billion dollars, in added income and increased values of businesses and properties since March, 1933. The farmers have made 5 billion dollars more income compared with 1932 by the end of this year. Their mortgage loans, too, have been reduced 1 1/2 billions. The families of CCC youths, taken from despairing homes, have received upward of 200 million dollars, while incalculable wealth was given these boys in discipline and self-reliance.

The banks have nearly 7 billion dollars more money because of the deposit guarantee law, putting 100 per cent of the people's savings at the disposal of business. The country is on a cash-loan basis instead of credit being expanded to 16 times the total of borrowable bank resources, as in 1929. We have added other billions in value to businesses by low interest rates, a fact not yet noted by economists, in the hiring of money through refunding and new issues over long terms. These assure low operation costs for 20 to 30 years. We incidentally will have made 4,600,000 motor cars in 1935, machines not usually bought by paupers.

Our business was down to 20 per cent of the volume of 1929 when Mr. Roosevelt took office. Owing to inflated values in 1929, it is probable 20 per cent of the presumed values of that time were fictitious. Allowing that, we are within 80 per cent of our highest prosperity with greatly augmented sources to progressively increase profits and wealth.

That is a part only of the material profit of the New Deal, Mr. Star. In moral values, we have gained a government for and by the people. We have kept the United States an industrial nation. We have gained the enmity of the extreme radicals by our conservative handling of affairs. We are disliked by the predatory class because we broke its clutch on the throats of the people.

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FIRST LOAD OF COTTON AT CARUTHERSVILLE

Caruthersville, Mo., August 12.—John W. Galaway of Pemisot County, today brought the first load of cotton to a gin here. A premium price of 17.5 cents was paid for the first bale of this year's crop. Galaway picked over 30 acres to harvest the first bale. Cotton growers in this section say the crop has prospects of being the best in years.

Tall Tales

As told to: ELMO FRANK E. and SCOTT HAGAN I WATSON

The Absent-Minded Carpenter

WHEN Charles G. Grant, former Ohio newspaper man, was a boy in Columbus he knew a carpenter named J. Elmer Putterbaugh who was just about the best in the business. No job was ever too big for him to tackle, according to Mr. Grant. When J. Elmer took the contract to build a big church over near Washington Court House, he got so interested in his work that he forgot to stop. So the main aisle was so long that they had to have two preachers—one to stand at the altar and marry folks and the other to stand at the front door and christen their first baby as they came out.

Another time J. Elmer's absent-mindedness got him in trouble. He was shingling the roof on a barn when a thick fog came sweeping up the valley from the Ohio river. J. Elmer kept right on shingling and without noticing what he was doing shingled 26 feet of fog before he noticed his mistake.

This turned out to be pretty serious because he fell and broke one of his legs off clean when he tried to get down. As a result he had to have a wooden leg, but when Elmer reached down to scratch his knee cap he'd get a splinter in his finger. That made him so angry that he'd grab his saw and saw his wooden leg right off. It broke him up buying new wooden legs. At last he went to a pauper's grave.

"But they had a hard time keeping him in it," declares Mr. Grant. "You see, J. Elmer was something of a crossroads philosopher—just full of wise saws. His ghost used one of these to saw his way out of the pine box in which they buried him. Folks got pretty tired of having his ghost chasing around at night. So they finally captured it, enclosed it in a box of chilled steel, and from that time on there has been nothing but frozen silence out of J. Elmer Putterbaugh."

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LOCALS

Jesse Lee Hamby is ill with an attack of bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Harrison motored to Fredericktown Saturday and went on to St. Louis Sunday to attend the ball game.

Miss Evelyn Holmes left Saturday night to spend three weeks with Mrs. Annie Clifton at Ridgeley, Tenn. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Holmes who accompanied their daughter to Ridgeley returned home Sunday evening.

Miss Electa O'Hara is expected home Monday from Bowling Green, Ky., where she attended summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyon Schreff and daughters, Misses Mary Lou and Joanne drove to St. Louis Sunday.

Miss Velma Cotton returned Sunday after a vacation trip to points in Mississippi.

Joe Allen returned last week from Cheley Camp, Estes Park, Colo., where he attended a summer camp for boys. He visited in St. Joseph, Mo., enroute home.

Otis Brown of Detroit, Mich., came Wednesday to join Mrs. Brown who has been the guest of friends and relatives here and in Canasou, Memphis and Little Rock, since the first of July. They will visit Mr. Brown's relatives in Kentucky before returning to Detroit.

Miss Mary Chapman of Chicago who has been the guest of Miss Catherine Ann Cook the last two weeks will leave today (Friday) for her home.

Mrs. Ronald Richardson of Reyno, Ark., sustained an operation for appendicitis, last week, in Lucy Lee hospital at Poplar Bluff. Mrs. Richardson is the former Miss Nina Taylor of this city.

Charles Louis Baker left Monday for his home in Chicago, after a visit here with his great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baker, Sr., and family. Mrs. Lucy Allard, Miss Florence Baker and Mrs. Margaret Harper accompanied him as far as Cairo, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Freeward and daughter Mary Ann, left Sunday for a vacation trip to Minnesota and other northern states.

Mrs. Anna Ancell and granddaughter, Lillian Jeanette, Mrs. Lynn Wagener and two sons, and Fred Moore went to St. Louis Monday for a weeks visit with Mrs. Ancell's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Yowell.

Mrs. Pearl Green and daughter, Louise, and Lucille Moore, of Matthews went to St. Louis Sunday for a weeks visit with relatives.

Mrs. A. J. Gossitt and children who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Brown, of Matthews, returned to their home in St. Louis Sunday.

Second Set of Questions in Prize Contest on the Bible.

5. What is the Difference between the Law and the Gospel?
6. How does the Christian react to the Teaching of Evolution?
7. What has God done for you?
8. Who is Jesus Christ?

Answers to these four Questions must be postmarked no later than midnight next Thursday. Everyone living in Sikeston Trade Territory is eligible according to the rules published last week. Write plainly and mail your answers to Martin L. Cook, Chaffee, Mo.

RUSSELL-BRADLEY MEETS ON KEITH LAWN

The beautiful lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Keith on North Ranney was the meeting place of the Russell-Bradley Missionary society Monday evening. Mrs. Clyde Matthews and Miss Lillian Ptnam were hostesses for the evening.

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Washington Comment

The "Deserted Village" atmosphere which has prevailed in Washington official circles since the coming of the torrid weather is due for a change. After Sunday, the White House will have a Presidential occupant for a few days and, from time to time, a perspiring Cabinet member will struggle into town. One must expect Secretary of State Hull, who has had to stay all along due to the gravity of the Spanish crisis.

With apparent malignity, almost every summer of late develops an international situation that keeps the old State, War, and Navy Building on Pennsylvania Avenue burning the midnight oil as in the World War era and denies Uncle Sam's dapper diplomats the pleasures of shore and mountains. Genial Jim Farley got a grand send-off within the week when he quit the Postmaster Generalship for the duration of the campaign and hid him northward to set his Chief au courant with the political situation. With his departure, the Nation's Capital is left to the mercy of the tourists who invade us in hordes like the locusts and apparently as equally undaunted by the heat. Among the most imposing visitors of the week was a caravan of British motorists, who, embarked from the "Queen Mary" for a fortnight's swing through the East, professed themselves, with admirable naïvete, astonished by the absence on every street corner, of gangsters with machine guns moving down the citizenry. However, terrified by American taxi drivers and other speed demons, the Britishers put up their cars during their Washington visit, after one day's coping with our traffic hazards.

Despite our declared neutrality, this country has not closed its ears to the roll of war drums in Europe, as some pretend to think. Evidence to the contrary is in the increase, both in size and efficiency of the United States Army during past months. Our force is still small compared to European powers, but our military strength has enlarged from 118,000 men; there is a 5000 increase in the National Guard; the Air Corps will have 1000 fast, ultra-modern planes within two years; the enrollment at West Point has jumped from 1,374 to 1,960 which will provide 400 officers each year. Our standing army now has 12,

000 officers, our National Guard 13,370 officers, 201 warrant officers and 172,224 enlisted men; our "organized reserve" under sometime training, provides 112,590 officers to furnish leadership for a potential civilian army of 1,000,000 men. However, at the present moment, just to show how peaceful everything is around Washington, our Army officers are worrying over the set of their new white regulations summer uniform. It seems that the coat emphasized the portly middle section which the General Staff acquires with a desk job.

The term "Roosevelt Luck" which languished a trifle last winter but revived vigorously after that successful Philadelphia Convention, is being quite generally applied to those circumstances over which there is no control, such as the Spanish Revolution breaking on the very day of the Republican acceptance speech and crowding Gov. Landon on the front page—and later, the very elements combining in sound and fury to nearly ruin the radio reception of the Kansas address. Not to be termed exactly luck, but certainly fortuitous is the report of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States on the improved state of the Nation's busi-

ness. The report shows how finance, commerce and industry have climbed back to prosperity and which predicts that 1936 will be the record year of them all. Joseph P. Kennedy, former chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission, is of the opinion that a "normal reaction" will create a "real problem" about 1938 or 1939.

NEGRO GIVEN TWO YEARS FOR STEALING GIN BELTS

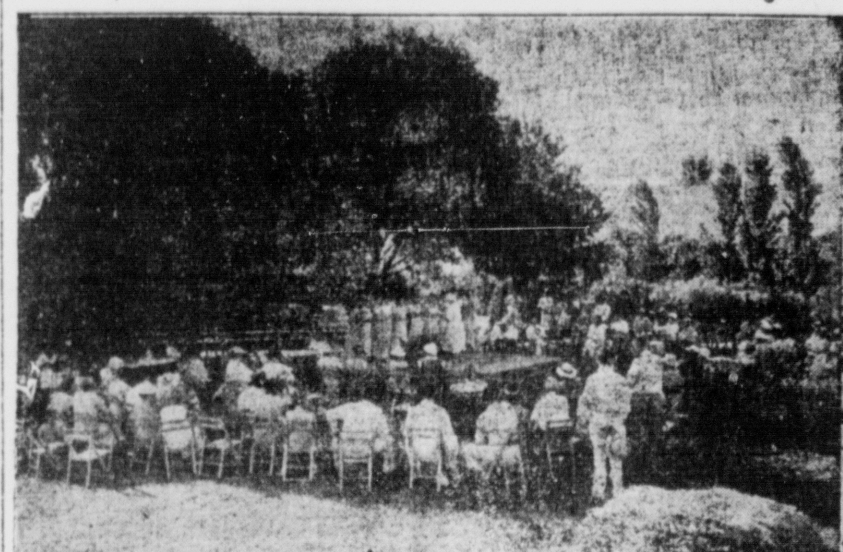
Robert Wilson, a Sikeston negro, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary Tuesday when he pled guilty to stealing ten leather belts valued at \$100 from the Sikeston Gin Company this spring.

Sentence for Russell Clark, who admitted a robbery, was deferred until August 17. Clark was held for the theft of \$11.75 from C. C. Cannon at Chaffee May 4. He pled guilty to second degree robbery after the state had waived a first degree charge.

A hearing for Ben Millering on four charges of stealing chickens in the night time was continued until Thursday after he had been granted a change of venue from Judge Frank Kelly and Judge James M. Reeves of Caruthersville had been appointed to preside at his trial. No trial has been set for Otto Heisserer, Millering's alleged accomplice, who is charged jointly with him on three counts.

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Garden Clubs Entertain at Missouri State Fair



Above is a view of an afternoon entertainment in the beautiful Highway Gardens, at Missouri State Fair, where the Sedalia Affiliated Garden Clubs will entertain the Missouri Federated Women's clubs at their annual party, during Missouri State Fair, August 22-29.

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John and Jesus Are Born

IT CAME to pass toward the end of the reign of Herod that there lived in the city of Hebron, or perhaps in the nearby village of Jutta, a priest named Zacharias. As was the custom in Israel among the men of his sacred profession, Zacharias had a wife, Elizabeth, who was also of the priestly family. They were aged folk, and very humble and poor; but they were pious and contented for all that. Indeed, their only sorrow was occasioned by the fact that they had no child.

But one day, when Zacharias was ministering at the golden altar in the Temple at Jerusalem, an angel came to him and announced that his secret prayers to God had been heard and his wife was about to bear a child. Zacharias was naturally amazed, for he was already a man full of years. In his incredulity he asked for some assurance of the promised blessing, whereupon the angel declared that the priest, because of his unbelief, would remain dumb till the day that the child was born.

As soon as his act of service at the Temple was ended, Zacharias, now dumb as well as aged, returned to his home. And behold, it came to pass just as the angel had promised, and Zacharias' wife, Elizabeth, conceived and became with child.

Six months after he appeared to Zacharias in the Temple, the same angel came to Nazareth, a remote village in the hills of Galilee, and there appeared unto a lowly virgin named Miriam, or Mary. This young woman was betrothed to a poor carpenter at Nazareth named Joseph, and she was much astounded to learn that, though she was not yet married, she was about to become a mother. The Holy Ghost had sought her out and found her worthy of bearing a child who would grow to be the Redeemer of the world, and would be known as Jehoshua (or Jesus), which means "God the Savior."

Now this Mary was a kinswoman of Elizabeth, and, having heard of the miracle that had occurred to the aged woman, she made haste to go up to Judea to confer with her.

Mary remained some three months with Elizabeth, and then returned to Nazareth. But when Joseph, the carpenter to whom Mary was betrothed, saw that she was with child, he determined to cast her off. He was a kindly man, and did not want to report the girl to the authorities; but he refused to consider marrying her now, for he believed she had sinned. Before he could take any action, however, he too was visited by an angel and was assured that the child Mary was about to bear had been conceived through the operation not of a man but of the Holy Ghost. So Joseph no longer hesitated, but straightway took Mary to wife.

Meanwhile the event announced to the aged Zacharias in the Temple was fulfilled and Elizabeth bore a man-child. She named him John, that is, "God is gracious," but, in accordance with the Greek fashion of the day, the child was known as John. And that child grew to be a prophet. Having been dedicated to God's service as a Nazarene, he never touched wine or strong drink, and denied himself all other pleasures of ordinary life. John assumed the garb of the ascetic, his hair fastened around the body by a leather girdle, and ate locusts, wild honey, and other such desert foods.

According to the Bible, it came to pass at about the time when John was born that the Roman emperor passed a decree ordering all his subjects in Palestine to go up to the capital to be registered in the census. This decree compelled Joseph and his wife Mary to leave their home in Nazareth and travel to Judea just when she was about to bear her child. One night they got as far as the village of Bethlehem, but found the town so crowded with travelers that they were compelled to seek shelter in the stable among the cattle and the beasts of burden. And behold, there in the stable the pangs came over Mary, and she bore her child. Wrapping him in swaddling clothes, she laid him in a manger by her side. And thus was Jesus ushered into the world of men.

Now Joseph and Mary were strict

Jews, and naturally enough they felt it incumbent upon them to rear their child according to the Holy Law. When the infant was eight days old he was circumcised, and given the Hebrew name of Jesus, which in Greek was Jesus. And on the fortieth day Mary repaired to the Temple and, in accordance with the Jewish custom, presented her offering of purification. She brought her little one with her on that journey, and she marvelled not to see an aged man named Symeon, and a prophetess named Anna, recognize the holy child and openly declare him to be none other than the promised Messiah of Israel.

The Flight to Egypt

SOON after the holy family left Jerusalem and returned to their lodging place at Bethlehem, certain Magi or Wise Men from Persia came to the capital and began to inquire where they could find him that was born King of the Jews. They declared they had seen his star in the East and had come expressly to worship him. But when King Herod heard of this, he was filled with alarm, for he had no desire to lose his throne. By means of a low stragem he discovered where the infant lay, and at once he began to plot to destroy him. But Joseph was forewarned in a dream, and just in time he took his wife and the child and fled with them across the wilderness to Egypt. And only when Herod died did the holy family return to Palestine. Joseph brought his wife and child to Nazareth and once more took up his work there as a carpenter.

The village of Nazareth was very small; indeed it was so obscure that it never once receives mention in the Old Testament. But though small, it lay in the very heart of Lower Galilee, and therefore was far from secluded. Not far away from it were the great highways radiating in all directions, and because of these highways, Nazareth lay open to all the many influences coming from the cities and lands of the East and West.

Galilee had once been a place inhabited largely by half-breed Jews, but from the time of the Maccabees it became a center of the most intense Jewish patriotism. The people there were not as well educated as those in Jerusalem, but for all that they were not lacking in extreme devotion to God and fervent faith that very soon he would send the Messiah to rescue them from the talons of Rome. Indeed, the spirit of rebellion against Rome was fiercer in Galilee than almost anywhere else in Palestine.

About an hour's walk from Nazareth lay the important city of Sepphoris, and we know from history that this was for a time a stronghold of the revolutionists. All around Nazareth there were other cities and villages where the spark of rebellion lay always ready to be fanned. And from this we can imagine what must have been one of the great influences in the early life of Jesus. In the alleys of Nazareth he must have heard constant talk of the wickedness of the Roman oppressor, and in the synagogue his ears must have been filled with repeated prayers for the coming of a Redeemer.

For the Jews were convinced that the intolerable evil could not last much longer. Of old the prophets had taught them that a day of release must come, a day wherein their God would send them a wondrous leader, a Messiah—that is, an "Anointed One"—who would miraculously overthrow the hated enemy and then reign in peace forevermore.

And the more horrible the persecutions, the nearer seemed the advent of this Anointed One. Each day was thought to be the very last, and every hour the people pricked up their ears for the sound of the Messiah's trumpet. And it was in such an atmosphere that the child Jesus grew to boyhood.

God's Love

God's love gives in such a way that it flows from a father's heart, the wellspring of all good. The heart of the giver makes the gift dear and precious; as among ourselves we say of even a trifling gift, "It comes from a hand we love," and look not so much at the gift as at the heart.—Luther.

Personal And Society Items From Vanduser

Misses Geneva and Catherine Shelton of Gideon spent last week with Miss Lucille Moxley. Lucille returned home with them to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Perry and children have gone to Senath to spend a few days visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woodward of Washington are visiting home-folks here this week.

Miss Lila Williams left Sunday for an extended visit in New York and Washington.

Dorothy Moxley returned home Wednesday after a month's visit in southern Missouri with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Gladys Thompson and two sons J. D. and Jerry Lee and two cousins of near Charleston and Mrs. C. C. Hale spent last week visiting relatives at Grisham.

Mr. J. C. Chaney spent the week end at his granddaughters, Mrs. Glendon Stafford, on his return from Flint, Michigan. He left Monday for his home at Grisham. Freeman Unsell has been conducting a revival at Noxall the past week. Rev. Ollie Lewis and family and Burley Hogue and Miss Audrey Unsell were among those who attended the past week.

Burley Hogue of East Prairie has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hogue the past week.

Ollie Lewis, Oscar Mize, Glendon Stafford, Leval and Carl McCommer Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Moxley and children and R. V. Mize shopped in Sikeston Saturday.

Those at the Glendon Stafford home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Ulrich and children of Cape Girardeau, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Killian of near Sikeston, and J. C. Chaney of Grisham.

Ralph McDonald is not getting along so good over having his tonsils removed last week.

Mrs. Freda Boyett and little daughter Barbara Lou of St. Louis have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Aman Batts the past week.

Eloise Duncan spent the week end at the Boss Fields home at Morley.

Mrs. Lesley Medlock and little daughter Francis Pearl of near Tanner spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. Lee Walker.

O. B. Allan underwent a minor operation Saturday and is somewhat better.

The writer, his son, Jack, and his daughter, Dorothy, and cousins Albert and Floy Holt spent Sunday afternoon in Charleston. We all had a good time Kodaking and swimming.

Miss Mary Williams left Monday to visit her sister, Miss Elsie Williams in St. Louis.

Everybody is invited to attend services at Pleasant Valley Saturday and Sunday, this being Rev. T. F. Gray's regular appointment.

The meeting the past two weeks at the Valley church, conducted by Sister Nellie B. Jackson was a big success with ten additions to the church who will be baptized Sunday afternoon, August 16 in North Cut Ditch near Buckeye Switch by Rev. T. F. Gray and Rev. H. Asa.

There was an attendance of 67 at Sunday school Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Hartle and son, Truman, of near Millersville visited at the Allen home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hartle visited relatives near Bufordville Tuesday and Wednesday. Miss Virginia Summers accompanied them home for an indefinite visit.

The following young ladies spent Wednesday night with Miss Vera Shelton, Misses Gladys Rister, Marjory Boardman, Nora Jo Dame and Lillie Allen.

O. B. Allen and son and daughter, Lillie and Raymond made a business visit to Jackson Friday.

Mrs. Susan Hartle of near Millersville accompanied them home for an indefinite visit.

Mrs. Hartle is the mother of Mrs. O. B. Allen and F. M. Hartle.

Loomis and Rushy Niswanger of near Millersville visited relatives in this community from Saturday until Monday.

Misses Nellie Jackson and Marjory Boardman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ashworth and family.

The Christian Endeavor class voted in two new members Sunday night.

Misses Gladys Rister and Vera Shelton and Bert and Luther Stanfill, Reuben Estes, Robert Merrick, and Nerrick and Junior

Miller spent Sunday at the Allen home.

Miss Maxine Dame of St. Louis is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dame.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seabough and children, Eugene and Leslie, of near Matthews ate supper with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Allen and family Tuesday night and attended church.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Larcom and grandchildren, Janice and Alazo, Jr., and Elmer Stanfill and Miss Nora Jo Dame were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hartle and families Thursday night.

Visitors and Prizes at Morehouse Homecoming

(By Mrs. Lillian Grossman)

Following is a partial list of former Morehouse residents who were recent Morehouse visitors:

Mrs. Minnie Harris, Bisbee, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Knupp, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Loren Blaylock, St. Louis, Mo.; Baker Headlee, Wichita, Kans.; Mrs. Mag McFarling, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Baker Reynolds, Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Nolen, Memphis, Tenn.; Mrs. Bessie Penneck, Bourbon, Mo.; Mrs. Ruth Averett Wilson, Columbia, Tenn.; Mrs. R. J. Masterson, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Bob Smith, Butler, Ill.; Miss Eileen Menes, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crumpecker and children of Houston, Texas; Mr. Hilary Boone, Jefferson City, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Dorrell Harris and daughter of Bisbee, Ariz.; Eugene Harris, Bisbee, Ariz.; and Mrs. George Folk, Cincinnati, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Avery Nolen, St. Louis, Mo.; and Mrs. Lou Mitchell, St. Louis, Mo.; Byron Masterson, Hayti, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Faye Hocker, Sikeston, Mo.; A. J. Jenkins, Obion, Tenn.; Pete Taylor, Eau Claire, Mich.; Jules Taylor, Chicago, Ill.; Eva Taylor Engram, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. O. S. Chapman, Sikeston, Mo.; Marion Shipman, Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. Radia Bumpus, Sikeston, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. John Porter, Parma, Mo.; Mrs. Susie Walden, Farmington, Mo.; Mrs. Marie Seabough, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; Mrs. Gertrude Lampley, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Mrs. Lila Lowe, Canolou, Mo.; Mrs. Wm. Scheining, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; Mr. Bud Lamson, Neosho, Mo.; Mrs. Charles Legate, Biggers, Ark.; Mrs. Minnie Hall, New Madrid, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Menes, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Stanley, New Madrid, Mo.; Mrs. Rita Hall Bates, New Madrid, Mo.; Mrs. Jewell Miller, Canolou, Mo.; Bob McBride, Clarkton, Mo.; Walter

Hawkins, Hayti, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Bond and children of Chaffee, Mo.; P. S. Chapman, Wichita, Ky.; Cleo Cain, St. Louis, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilkins, Elva, Ky.; Dennis Cline, McMullin, Mo.; Mrs. Magdeline Mason, Jackson, Mo.; Mrs. W. I. Tibbs, Jackson, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Shug Johnson, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Averett, Canolou, Mo.; Mrs. Otto Bratton, Detroit, Mich.

Odell Moccabee, Los Angeles, Calif.; George Smart, New Madrid, Mo.; L. A. Tickell, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; Earl Moccabee, Pine Ridge, Ore.; Louis Tickell, Memphis, Tenn.; Mrs. Helen Ogle and children of Farmington, Mo.; Alva Wallace, Sikeston, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smithpeters, Matthews, Mo.; Raymond Usrey, Sikeston, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. James McCool, Risco, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Myers and daughter, Miss Marjorie Loganport, Ind.; Mrs. Dacia Hunt, Risco, Mo.; Mrs. J. W. Sarff and son Warren of Benton, Mo.; Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Fikes, Festus, Mo.; Mrs. Helen Oldham, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newcomer, Cairo, Ill.; Mrs. Harriet Eakers, Cairo, Ill.; Jesse Wilkins, New Madrid, Mo.; Miss Doris James, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Klingel, McMullin, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mount, Sikeston, Mo.; Mr. Marion Schaffer, St. Louis, Mo.; Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Cornell, Lutesville, Mo.; Miss Helen Legate, Biggers, Ark.; Miss Clara Ruterbaugh, Magnolia, Ark.; Mrs. Emma Ruterbaugh Medlin, Pangburn, Ark.

Mrs. John Edwards and children Sikeston, Mo.; Mrs. Mary Gorman, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; Mrs. Ena Minich Sexton, Paducah, Ky.; Mrs. Bertha Corlew, Essex, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Ike Wofford, Parma, Ky.; Rev. and Mrs. Will Parrott, Essex, Mo.; Joe Parrott, Essex, Mo.; Bill Newcomer, Cairo, Ill.; Mrs. Paul Gross and children of Essex, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Howell, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. O. D. James, Galatia, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pence, Springfield, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moxey, Sikeston, Mo.; Walter Upton, St. Louis, Mo.; Paul Jones and son of Sikeston, Mo.; Dona Williams, Sikeston, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Church, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Miss Bill Wallace, Sikeston, Mo.; Willie Belle and Thomas Williams, Sikeston, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Tickell, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Barnhill, Canolou, Mo.

Among the Homecoming visitors at the home of Mrs. Annie Blaylock were: Miss Clara Ruterbaugh

of Magnolia, Ark., and her sister Mrs. John Midlin of Pangburn, Ark. These ladies moved from Morehouse 31 years ago. This is their first visit back in 24 years. Thirty three years ago Miss Clara taught school in Morehouse, having an enrollment of 120 with 60 in the primary class. She now teaches in Arkansas A. & M. at Magnolia, Ark. They remarked on the many improvements in Morehouse during this time.

Miss Louise Parrish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Parrish of Morehouse was selected as "Home Coming Queen" for the second time. Miss Parrish was presented with cash prize. She is a graduate of the Morehouse high school. Last year she spent as a nurse at the Crippled Children's Home in St. Louis. At present she is an operator in the telephone office.

The attendance this year was the largest ever before at the Morehouse Homecoming. Saturday night the crowd was estimated at 3000.

First place in girls foot race, Christine Barker; Second place girls foot race, Maxine Harper; Third place girls foot race, Doris Mitchell.

First place in boys foot race, J. C. Hudson; Second place in boys foot race, Charles Shipman; Third place in boys foot race, Jack Hudson.

First place in sack race, Kenneth Farris; Second place in sack race, Sam Gray; Third place in sack race, Floyd Mitchell.

First place in three legged race, Charles Mitchell.

First place in three legged race, Jack Hudson.

First place in cracker eating contest, Len Jordan; Second place in cracker eating contest, Loyd McDey; Third place in cracker eating contest, Floyd Mitchell.

First place in Peanut eating contest, Lardyn; Second place in peanut eating contest, Ruth Thorburg; Third place in peanut eating contest, Helen Satterfield.

First place in bicycle race, Maurice; Second place in bicycle race, Wallace; Third place in bicycle race, Sally Wallace.

SUNFLOWER SEED AS FEED

A Scott county farmer has asked for information regarding the value of sunflower seed as a feed. Sunflower seed have a high oil content. It has been found that sunflower seed produce a soft and oily pork. With corn at 70 cents per bushel and tankage at \$2.50 per hundred, gains made by pork when fed equal parts of corn and sunflower seed indicated a value of \$1.80 per hundred for the sunflower seed.

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PRATT ORDERED NOT TO DRIVE CAR FOR 60 DAYS

Judge Brown Jewell imposed severe punishment on Harry Pratt, Jr., when Pratt appeared in police court Tuesday and pled guilty to reckless driving.

Judge Jewell fined Pratt \$12, sentenced him to thirty days in jail, and ordered him not to drive an automobile for sixty days. He stayed the jail sentence upon the payment of fine and costs.

Trooper V. C. Boisabun arrested Pratt and Elmo Warren early Sunday morning as they drove along Malone avenue. Warren, who threw a whisky bottle onto the pavement, was fined \$15 after he had pled guilty before Judge Jewell. Pratt was arrested earlier this year for reckless driving.

The Sikeston Standard \$2 per year

FORMER SIKESTON PASTOR TO SPEAK AT ILLMO SUNDAY

The Rev. E. H. Koerber, formerly pastor of the Concordia Lutheran church here and now pastor of the Lutheran church in Springfield, Mo., will speak at a missions rally in the Illmo Lutheran church Sunday morning.

The Rev. Martin L. Cook, present pastor of the Chaffee-Sikeston parish of the Lutheran church will be the afternoon speaker at the Illmo rally.

Popeye Wilson dashed into the sick bay and addressed the Corpsman on duty: "Have you got something that will cure the fleas on our mascot?"

Corpsman: "I don't know, what's the matter with the fleas?"

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70c Kruschen Salts	44c
50c Unguentine	29c
50c Phillips Milk of Magnesia	27c
No. 116 Kodak Film	18c
75c Fountain Syringe or Water Bottle	21c
60c Murine Eye Water	36c

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There are many cases come to our attention of old folks who are eligible for old age assistance but who have not yet received any assistance. The saddest part to our way of thinking is the way some children treat their old father or mother by not lending aid themselves instead of letting the State pay the bill. All through childhood parents have stood by through sickness and death and children can never repay their parents, especially their mother, for what they have sacrificed to try to bring them up to be useful men and women. Some of these old folks have told us their son was willing to take them in but the son's wife would not consent, and to keep from breaking up the family the old ones suffered and starved. This is written with the hope that sons and daughters will divide the last crust and try to provide for their old father or mother. The small sum that will come as old age assistance will not near provide for the comforts old people are entitled to, but will help some. It is pitiful to meet so many of these old folks, listen to their stories of hardships and neglect by their children, and we so helpless to hurry along the small sums due and needed.

It is estimated that the Democratic and Republican headquarters will spend several million dollars in their efforts to reach the elusive voter. The average citizen will be inclined to the belief that this sum will be well spent. Newspaper editors, accustomed to the free broadcasting of party propaganda through their columns, will probably wonder how much the parties would pay for newspaper space if the Fourth Estate adopted the radio rule for service for cash only.—Kennett Democrat.

"It is evident that if Roosevelt is re-elected it will be chiefly because millions of people believe he has made a humanitarian effort to improve their condition. Talk with the cab drivers and scrubwomen. They say: 'There have been mistakes; but he's tried to help us.'—Boston Christian Science Monitor.

We have no intention of printing the name of the young woman who was held in a double-outrage position in one of our Drug Stores at 1:00 o'clock Thursday and given a sound spanking across her shoulders where she sits down.

DID YOU KNOW?
That the most hazardous air route in the United States is considered to be the Spokane to Seattle route over the towering Cascade Mountains. It is also said to have the best blind flying pilots in the country, since so much of their work entails constant instrument navigation.

That a tablet excavated in northern Mesopotamia in 1932 proves that the story of the expulsion of Adam and Eve from the Garden of Eden was known in the East nearly 6,000 years ago.

That dry ice has a temperature of about 114 degrees below zero Fahrenheit.

That the oldest known manuscript of the Bible is in the Vatican in Rome.

Preacher (to Mormon bridegroom): "Do you take these women to be your lawfully wedded wives?"

Groom: "I do."

Preacher (to brides): "Do you take this man to be your lawfully wedded husband?"

Brides: "We do."

Preacher: "Some of you girls in the back will have to speak louder if you want to be included in this."

Personal and Society News From Morley

Mrs. C. A. Stallings and son Kenneth, daughter Eloise and Miss Ava Evans were Sikeston business visitors Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Leslie Clemens visited at the Rev. C. E. Calvert home at Illmo Sunday afternoon.

Most all canteloupes are gone now but large quantities of watermelons are being marketed. Melons are of good flavor this year.

Camille Stallings went to Oran Saturday for a few days visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Clemens.

H. F. Emerson and son Joe were business visitors in St. Louis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Worth and children of Portageville and Miss Lucille Glick of Cape Girardeau were dinner guests of Mrs. G. D. Harris Tuesday.

Mr. Dennis Brantley of Ky., is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ford.

Elwood Stroder is visiting his paternal grandmother at White-water this week.

Misses Margaret Alma Thacker and Ethel Vaughn went to St. Louis Sunday to visit the former's sister, Mrs. James Mangum for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ray of Evening Shade, Ark., are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Darter.

Mrs. Alec Foster and son Harry, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reynolds of St. Louis were guests of Mrs. Lita Foster and Mrs. Elsie Norman of Hooe District over the week end.

Ralph Vaughn, J. B. McInay and C. A. Stallings were visitors in St. Louis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Morgan of Hayti visited relatives here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kilmer and son, Clarence Aaron of Dexter spent the week end with Mrs. C. D. Harris and family.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Ragains, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Little, Mr. C. F. Porter, Mesdames Phoebe Black, Ida Bone, and G. D. Harris attended quarterly conference at Vanduser Sunday evening.

Aunt Minda Allen is very ill this week.

Misses Leda May and June Daugherty returned home Sunday from a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller and family of Farmington. The latter accompanied them here returning to their home the same day.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Allen and son Wilson went to St. Louis Tuesday on a business trip.

Kenneth Stallings and C. D. Harris were at Cape on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terman Cruse of Kansas City were guests of Mrs. Henrietta Daugherty last week end.

Mrs. Addie Smiley went to St. Louis Monday night to be with her daughter, Mrs. Claron Clayton, who requires surgical treatment.

A revival meeting was started at the Baptist church Monday night with Rev. C. E. Calvert of Illmo doing the preaching.

An all-day meeting of the home-makers club will be held at the home of Mrs. Amos McMullin today (Thursday) when a demonstration in cheese-making will be given.

Announcement was made here Sunday of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Willard Sullivan at the S. E. Mo. hospital at Cape Girardeau. Mrs. Sullivan was formerly Miss Dorothy Lee Foster and moved to Cape Girardeau two years ago.

Fred Stephenson a WPA worker age 65 years died Thursday at his home at 2 a. m. He suffered a stroke of Paralysis Monday while at work and never regained consciousness. Mr. Stephenson was born in Work County, Ind., March 2, 1871 and came to Missouri when a youth. He was married to Miss Zona Irvin who survives. The funeral was held at the Baptist church Saturday afternoon with Rev. Denzel Osburn of Roxana, Ill., in charge. Burial was in Morley city cemetery.

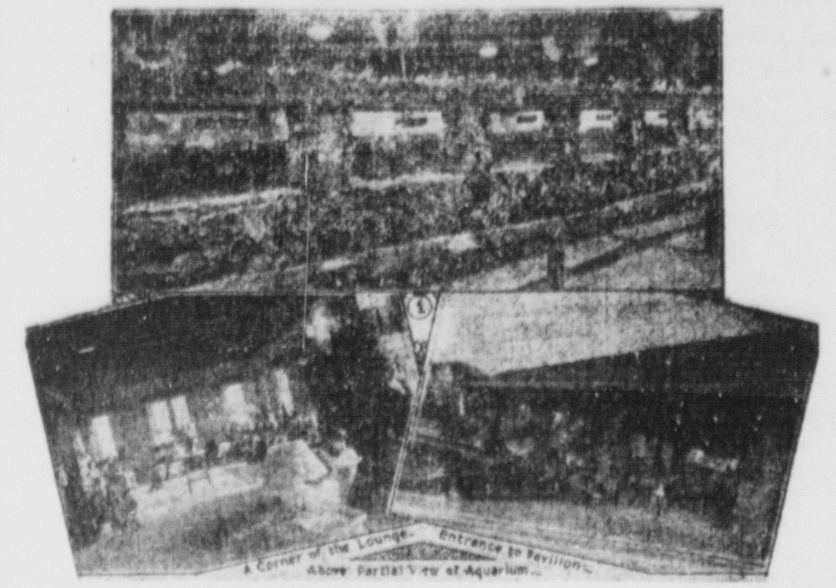
Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Irvin of St. Louis were called here Thursday by the death of their brother-in-law Mr. Fred Stephenson.

AAA HEAD FINDS NEW PAN-AMERICAN HIGHWAY IN MEXICO REMARKABLE

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 12.—Visitors by the thousands soon will be flocking into Mexico over the new Pan-American highway in the opinion of Thomas P. Henry, president of the American Automobile Association, who has recently returned from active participation in the formal dedication of the route linking Laredo, Texas, with Mexico City.

Previously conceived notions formed through articles in national periodicals had prepared

Missouri Game and Fish Exhibit



Three scenes in the elaborate State Fair exhibit building of the State Game and Fish Department, recognized as the finest exhibit of its kind in the world. Many thousands will visit this unique display during Missouri State Fair week, August 22-29.

him for a hazardous drive, attended by many of the difficulties which beset early American tourists, whereas there is not a dangerous foot in the whole 778-mile route and nothing to prevent a 15-year-old girl from making the trip alone, Henry reported.

As evidence of this, he cited covering the entire distance in only fourteen and a half hours of elapsed travel time in the new car. He drove from Detroit to Mexico City and return, piling up 5400 miles in two weeks.

Three large oil companies are installing modern tourist camps over the entire route, boasting plumbing the equal of anything in America and the best beds and mattresses made in Grand Rapids, the AAA head stated.

"Less than forty miles of the entire route are not hard surfaced," said Mr. Henry, "and that stretch is oiled and so smooth I didn't realize I was leaving pavement. The highway is as well laid out as any in the United States. Every bridge is completed. If there is a single foot of dangerous travel on the whole trip I failed to find it."

Cars from the United States are now crossing the border at the rate of about fifty a day, Henry reported, with prospects of rapid increase as a result of the enormous reports brought back by those taking the trip. Particularly active fall and winter travel is indicated by the abundance of game, and the prospects of a temperate climate, according to Mr. Henry.

The road, which has been under construction for several years, is twenty-eight feet wide, and represents a remarkable engineering achievement, with the last 280 miles blasted out of the side of a mountain. The hope is that ultimately it will be extended through Central America into South America, thus making possible a continuous motor route linking the two halves of the western hemisphere.

33% INCREASE IN VOLUME OF MORTGAGES ACCEPTED FOR INSURANCE BY FIA

Washington, D. C., Aug. 11.—Missouri savings, building and loan association reported an increase of 33.1 per cent in the volume of their home mortgages accepted for insurance by the federal housing administration during the first six months of 1936 over the entire year of 1935.

George E. Palmer, special assistant to the administrator, in charge of savings and loan activities. He

stated that the total of accepted loans reported up to July 1 were \$658,810.

"Of equal importance is the fact that 48 of their total of 180 loans were made for new construction, costing \$220,560," said Mr. Palmer. "It is significant that the volume of these new construction loans in Missouri was 20.2 per cent greater during the first half of this year than during the whole of 1935, denoting a decided increase in residential building activities in that State since the first of the year."

"The savings, building and loan associations of Missouri added \$45,600 to their total of these loans in June, which compares with \$49,750 in May. Their largest previous month was January, with \$45,650. The average amount of these loans is \$3,660."

COTTON HOLDS ITS PLACE IN SPITE OF SUBSTITUTES

While rayon and other textile fibers may be taking the place of cotton in some uses, the king crop of the South is more than holding its own in the textile fiber field, says Rodney Whitaker, Bureau of Agricultural Economics, United States Department of Agriculture.

The increased use of cotton for industrial purposes has helped to maintain the crop's position as a textile fiber, Whitaker reports. He cites the automobile industry as one of the many industrial uses of cotton.

In 1929, a peak year, the automobile tire industry used more than 700,000 bales of cotton. A sharp decline was noted during the depression years, but in 1935 more than half a million bales were used in automobile tire manufacturing. Additional quantities of cotton were used in car tops, upholstery, and seat covers.

A study of the cotton situation over a long period shows the total cotton used has more than doubled since 1890. Use of all textile fibers has a little less than doubled. In this way, Whitaker points out, cotton has more than held its position in the textile industries of the Nation.

COTTON LEAF WORM TO APPEAR SOON

Southeast Missouri county extension agents warned farmers this week to watch for the arrival of cotton leaf worms.

Leslie B. Broom of New Madrid county said that because of the large number of worms last

year a heavy infestation is expected again this summer, particularly if rain should fall for several days and the weather should be cool.

Cotton leaf worms ordinarily appear near the end of the growing season, but already they are prevalent in fields of Northeast Arkansas, lower Pemiscot county, and on farms near Kennett and Europa in Dunklin county. Broom said they would probably reach New Madrid county the last half of this month and the first of next.

Reports indicate that there is serious infestation in Mississippi county, Arkansas. Moths that deposit the larvae are plentiful and are especially noticeable because they have become caught in the radiators of many cars driven at night. Farmers are buying large quantities of calcium arsenate to dust their fields.

About fifteen days are required for worms to hatch after eggs have been deposited, and usually the second and third hatchings are achieved before worms become numerous enough to effect serious damage. Farmers say the worms could do the greatest damage now, for after cotton is well opened they not only fail to hurt the yield but, in the opinion of many, are of benefit to it by removing the top foliage and permitting bolls near the ground to open better.

Personal And Society Items From Morehouse

The revival being conducted in the W. C. T. U. Park by the Church of God began Monday night, with a large crowd and good attention, every body invited to attend these services.

Miss Helen Legate of Essex was

a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Legate.

A. L. Lawson and daughter, Miss Della Lawson of Neosho, Mo., are visiting the former's brother J. C. Spence, Sr., and family.

Henry Crumpecker and daughter Mrs. Lillie Lowe of Canolou were business visitors here Monday.

Jules Taylor of Chicago visited old friends here the past week.

Mrs. Henry Hart and children are spending this week with Mrs. Harts Grandmother in Shawneetown, Ill.

Mrs. Lucy Jones and daughter Miss Ruth Jones of Chaffee, Mo., are guests of the former's sister Mrs. J. C. Spence, Sr. this week.

Mrs. Louise Newton and children are spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adkinson in Poplar Bluff.

Cleo Cain of St. Louis is visiting home folks here this week.

Messrs Walter and Harry Glass, and mother Mrs. Luther Glass and children attended the camp meeting at Kutawa, Ky., Sunday.

Mrs. F. L. Mitchell is visiting her brother and other friends in Boonville, Miss.

Baker Reynolds of Cleveland, O., spent the past week with parents Mr. and Mrs. Clabe Reynolds and other friends.

Mrs. John Medline, of Pangburn, Ark., and sister Miss Clara Putterbaugh of Magnolia, Ark., spent the past week with old friends in this city. They were formerly residents of Morehouse.

Mrs. Susie Walden and Mrs. Jack Ogle and children of Farmington, Mo., were guests of old friends here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spence, Sr., and son and A. L. Lawson and daughter Miss Ruth were Sunday guests of the former's daughter and husband, Prof. S. T. Clayton in Senath, Mo.

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Personal News of Sikeston

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter, Phones 761w and 137

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sells, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. John Croso and daughters, Miss Miragaret and Miss Mildred, of near Canolou, returned Monday night after a four days trip to Illinois, Indiana and Ohio.

Mrs. Lacy Allard and her daughter, Miss Evelyn, left Wednesday morning for a ten days trip to Oklahoma and the Centennial celebration at Dallas, Texas. They expect to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Black in Wewoka, and other friends in Tulsa and Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Ruskin McCoy expects to leave this week end for a vacation trip to Eastern resorts. She will accompany her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Ruhl of St. Louis, the latter of whom is society editor of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Miss Merlam and Miss Lucille Miller of Wilmington, N. C., who visited the family of Mr. and Mrs. I. Becker the last few weeks, left Sunday for Manila, Ark., to visit Mrs. Max Borowsky and Mrs. Wm. Borowsky.

Mrs. Leonard Cohen of the North Kingshighway Slack apartments, entertained Tuesday with a bridge luncheon, complimentary to Mrs. S. Bodzinar of Savannah, Ga., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. Nathan, and sister, Mrs. Nathan Yoffe.

Miss Laura Catherine Kornegger is visiting her cousin, Miss Beulah Kornegger in Puxico, this week.

Mrs. H. C. Young and son, Dick, spent Wednesday as guests of the formers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Penny in Poplar Bluff.

Mrs. H. L. Boaz of Parma is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Conliser, this week.

Mrs. Wayman Luten and two daughters of Union City, Tenn., came Sunday from Charleston where they visited her mother and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Moore Greer.

G. B. Greer left Wednesday night for Birmingham, Ala., to visit his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Heisserer, Tharon Stallings and Ross Kilgore were in St. Louis Tuesday to see the Cardinal-Cub baseball game.

Mr. and Mrs. James Doyle and two children of Alton, Ill., spent the week end here with Mrs. Doyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Young.

Mary Emma Alplen left Sunday for Columbia, Mo., to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Woods.

Mrs. John W. Stokes and daughter Ann, of Mayfield, Ky., returned to their home Wednesday evening after visiting her mother, Mrs. Anna Winchester since Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Matthews III and Mrs. John W. Stokes of Mayfield, Ky., went to St. Louis Monday and returned Wednesday morning. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Cunningham in Desloge Monday night.

Mrs. James Matthews entertained her bridge club Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. A. C. Barrett on North Kingshighway.

Naomi Ferrell, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. T. P. Ferrell of Morehouse, was taken to Southeast Missouri hospital at Cape Girardeau Wednesday for an appendix operation.

Wade Malcolm, and daughter Ruth, motored to DeSoto Tuesday transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Malcolm spent the week-end in Gideon visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Sharp.

Rev. Theon Schone, Eleanor and Adell Kannguiser, of New Haven, Missouri, and Otto Schoen, his mother and daughter Mary Margaret of Pomeroy, were six o'clock dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Malcolm.

Miss Emily Kendall returned home Thursday evening after a two-weeks visit in East St. Louis, Ill., with her aunt, Mrs. Thos. E. Duffy.

Mrs. Mildred Allard and little daughter went to Poplar Bluff Friday where they were joined by her sister, Mrs. Amo Ponder and went on to Corning, Ark., to spend the week end with their sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Swannagon surprised their daughter, Bobbie, with a dinner Sunday, this being her fourteenth birthday anniversary. The guests were Misses Bernice Husher, Maxine Shallhind, Louise Tindler, Mrs. John Husher and Mrs. S. E. Swannagon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bratton of Rolla, Mo., arrived Wednesday to visit the formers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bratton.

Miss Nora Calger of Tanner visited with Mrs. Boyd Scillian a few days this week.

Mrs. Reevie Smith returned Friday from Caruthersville where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Warner Phillips, last week.

Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Mayfield visited the formers' sister, Mrs. Lee Mayfield, at her home near Marble Hill, Thursday of last week.

Earl Mocabee of Pine Ridge, Oregon who has been the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Earl Malone left Wednesday to visit relatives near Paducah, Ky., before returning to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Bradley of Desloge were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson.

Miss Helen Campbell returned to her home in Auxvasse, Mo., after an extended visit here with her sister, Mrs. Leo Beckett. She was accompanied by Mrs. Beckett who will visit there until the 1st of September.

Mr. and Mrs. Miley Limbaugh and Mrs. Byron Bowman shopped in St. Louis Thursday.

Mrs. L. M. Hollenbeck and daughter Ann, joined Mr. Hollenbeck in St. Louis Wednesday of last week and remained until Friday. Mr. Hollenbeck returned to the city Monday to attend the second week of the Retailers Association.

Sam Bowman and daughter, Miss Frances and Miss Martha Jane Myers spent Thursday in St. Louis.

Mrs. H. G. Sharp and son Valle, Mrs. Garwood Sharp and Otis Sitzes spent Wednesday in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Harty moved into their new home on Park avenue Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Martin will occupy the

Dudley property vacated by the Hartys.

Miss Margaret Fisher entertained at bridge Wednesday night, at her home on Gladys avenue.

Kendall Sikes is transacting business in St. Louis this week. Dr. Howard A. Dunaway was in St. Louis Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ford were guests of the formers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ford in Morley Wednesday.

Among those from Sikeston who were in Charleston Monday morning to attend the funeral services of Jack Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Brown of that city were: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sikes, Mrs. Betty Matthews, Mrs. I. H. Dunaway, Mrs. C. A. Cook, Mrs. F. M. Sikes, Miss Lydia and Miss Audrey Chaney and Miss Mary Jane Sikes, Mrs. E. H. Orear.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Watson of Morley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ford Tuesday.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Sunday school—9:30 o'clock.

Morning worship—10:30 o'clock.

Sermon by the pastor.

Subject: "The Work of the Church."

N. Y. P. S.—6:30 o'clock.

Evening worship—7:30 o'clock.

Sermon by the pastor.

Subject: "The Midnight Cry."

Midweek prayer service, Thursday night 7:30 o'clock.

C. F. Transue, pastor.

The Thursday evening prayer service was to have been conducted by members of the older men's Bible Class.

On Monday evening, August 10, the following officers of the church were re-elected: secretary—Mrs. Jewell Humes; receiving treasurer—Mrs. L. H. Rector; and treasurer—L. H. Rector. A new executive board for the coming year were also elected as follows: Mrs. C. E. Transue, president; Mrs. Pauline Limbaugh, recording secretary; Miss Celesta Givens, corresponding secretary; W. H. Thompson, treasurer. Other officers and committees will be elected later.

Approximately 200 delegates are expected to attend the Nazarene assembly to be held here on Monday and Tuesday, September 7 and 8. The meeting will begin at noon Monday with the district W. M. S. Assembly, and on Monday evening the Eighth District Assembly will convene with Dr. R. T. Williams, General Superintendent Presiding. It is hoped that residents of Sikeston will open their homes to these delegates for beds on Tuesday night. Delegates will furnish their own meals. Those people who have spare beds who will take delegates please call Rev. C. F. Transue at 751 or contact Mrs. Ina Johnson.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:15 o'clock.

Morning Worship—11 o'clock.

Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "God Called to Man in the Garden of Eden."

Epworth League—6:30 o'clock.

E. H. Orear, pastor.

Arrangements have been made for special music at the Sunday morning service at the Methodist church. A trio composed of Mary Jane Sikes, Helen Vera Dudley and Kathryn Ann Cook will sing, and Billy Malone, acting in the absence of Mrs. R. A. Moore, will preside at the organ.

Everyday Cooking Miracles

BY VIRGINIA FRANCIS

Director Hotpoint Electric Cookery Institute

The Indians called it maize. Winslow spoke of it in his book as "the staff of life." Even the poet writes of it, in a prelude to a love song, saying "the corn was springing fresh and green . . . and the red was on your lip, Mary, and the lovelight in your eyes." To the ordinary man or woman, however,

corn your family can eat. Instead of having to carry your biggest kettle from ceiling heights or floor level depths, you find your Thrift Cooker kettle right in place "rarin' to go."

There's no danger of being burned or splashed when you use your Thrift Cooker, either, because the



Here is corn-on-the-cob, steamed in Thrift Cooker of the electric range, and ready for its bath of melted butter.

corn is a delectable golden-yellow vegetable that does bring "the lovelight to your eyes."

With the approach of late summer, corn becomes one of the most popular of the vegetables appearing on our tables—and deservedly so. Its plump kernels filled with golden meat just get "the seal of approval" from everyone.

Of course, that corn has first to be "tested and inspected" at the market before it ever reaches our tables. And these are the criteria used in judging. The husks on fresh sweet corn are bright green and look fresh. The kernels are plump and well-filled but soft and milky. The "nail test" shows a milky fluid when you break the fresh tender kernel of the corn; if doughy, the corn is too mature.

Cook in Thrift Cooker

After your market basket is filled with well-chosen corn, you will want to take it home and cook it to a delicious tenderness. And this is the time you really appreciate your modern electric range. The Thrift Cooker on the surface unit of the new automatic electric range is just made, it seems, to cook corn "as you like it."

At last you have a container large enough to hold all of the ears of

corn is steamed—not submerged in, literally, gallons of boiling water. There's no "poking" around in an attempt to "stab" the ears of corn, there's no waste or loss of heat units.

After the corn is cooked to just that desired tenderness, you can melt the butter for the corn in a saucepan right on top of the electric range. The low controlled-heat surface units simply won't let the butter burn.

You'll be wanting to have some of these delicious golden-yellow ears of corn for a meal very soon, so here is the easy Thrift Cooker method of cooking them.

Thrift Cooker Corn

Select ears of uniform size. Pour 1½ cups of water in the Thrift Cooker kettle. Turn switch to High. As soon as the water boils, place the corn in the kettle and continue cooking on High until steam appears from the vent. Tender corn will be cooked at this point.

If older corn is being cooked, turn the switch to Low after steaming is well established and continue steaming 30 minutes. Place on a warm platter and pour over melted butter to which chopped parsley has been added.

ENTERTAINS CLUB

The "Monday Night" bridge club of New Madrid, met at the home of Mrs. Pleas Malcolm on Ranney, Wednesday night. Those attending were as follows: Miss Helen Phelan; Mrs. E. C. Ralston; Mrs. L. L. Schuette; Mrs. Edward LaValle; Mrs. Howard Hampton; Mrs. Harry Lee LaFont; Mrs. Floyd Turner; Mrs. Adolph Peters; Mrs. Pat Edwards; Mrs. Alex Waters; Mrs. Lena Rademaker; Mrs. Richard Phillips; Miss Ben Bledsoe; Mrs. Mason Emerson; Miss Lucille Sharp; Miss Lucille Sloan; Miss Coleen Harris; Mrs. W. L. LaFont; Mrs. S. J. Harris; Miss Bettie Jean Bunker; Mrs. Earl Brown; and Miss Lois Schuette of Cape Girardeau; Miss Lois Schuette receiving high score, was presented a manicure set. Mrs. Howard Hampton, sec-

ond high score, also received a manicure set, and Miss Ben Bledsoe low score, receiving a compact. Refreshments of sandwiches, salad, iced tea, and ice cream were served.

Voting Official: "Pardon, me, lady, but there's some mistake here. Someone has already voted in your name."

Young Lady: "Oh, that's alright! You see I voted this morning but I want to change it now and vote for the other man."

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Men's Summer Dress Pants	87c, \$1.25, \$1.50

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Dowell, Ill. Kathleens

—VS.—

Sikeston All Stars

The Sikeston team will be selected from the following players: Miller, Ault, May, Hudson, Mast, Cokenaur, Dace, Swaim, Crain, Morrow, Bandy, Rogers, Kindred, Stacy, Beaird, Law and Sheery—The Dowell Kathleens defeated the Illmo-Bucks Sunday 4 to 1, and we are expecting an exceptionally fast game.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE NOTICE

Whereas, Albion H. Anderson, a single man, by his deed of trust dated October 9th, 1926, filed in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, Missouri, and recorded in Book No. 48 at Pages Nos. 481-482, conveyed to Commerce Trust Company of Kansas City, Missouri, Trustee, for the purpose of securing the indebtedness therein described, the following described property situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

113.20 acres, off of the south side of Survey thirteen (13), Township twenty-eight (28) North, Range fifteen (15) East of the Fifth Principal Meridian; and 28.75 acres off of the north side of Survey twelve (12), Township twenty-eight (28) North, Range fifteen (15) East of the Fifth Principal Meridian; and 144.73 acres, that part of Survey twelve (12), Township twenty-eight (28) North, Range fifteen (15) East of the Fifth Principal Meridian, contained in the following metes and bounds: Beginning at a sandstone 20x14x12 (Jones 1879) in the west line of said U. S. P. Survey 12, North 6 degrees 22 minutes west 4 chains and 30 links from the additional corner at the intersection of the line between Sections 20 and 29 and the west line of said Survey; thence from said beginning point north 6 degrees 22 minutes west along the west line of said Survey 12 a distance of 12.57 chains to a sandstone 19x10x10 (Jones 1879); thence north 81 degrees 58 minutes east a distance of 104.38 chains to a pump pipe (Warner 1909); thence south 58 degrees 54 minutes east a distance of 6.11 chains to a pump pipe (Warner 1909); thence south 54 degrees 24 minutes west a distance of 45 chains to a pump pipe (Warner 1909); thence north 60 degrees 2 minutes west a distance of 5.50 chains to a post (Warner 1909); thence north 29 degrees 58 minutes east a distance of 11.02 chains to a sandstone 20x10x10 (Jones 1879); thence south 81 degrees 58 minutes west a distance of 72.06 chains to the place of beginning; Together with all accretions and riparian rights. Excepting that portion thereof conveyed by Albion H. Anderson to Levee District No. 2 of Scott County, Missouri by deed in Book 75, Page 324 of the records of deeds to lands in said county and state described follows: Being all that part of United States Private Surveys number 12 and 13 being bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a pipe in the line between the Sewell and Anderson tracts, said pipe being about 49.5 feet west of the center line of the levee as now constructed; thence south 65 degrees 33 minutes east at a distance of 1742.9 feet intersect the line between United States Private Surveys number 12 and 13; said intersection being south 82 degrees 46 minutes west and about 53.0 feet distant from the center line of the levee; thence south 65 degrees and 33 minutes east a distance of 489.4 feet to a point; thence south 20 degrees and 38 minutes East a distance of 229.2 feet to a pipe in the line between the Anderson and Caldwell Tracts, said pipe being south 54 degrees 47 minutes West and 23.5 feet distant from the center line of the levee as now constructed; thence north 54 degrees 47 minutes East along the line between the Anderson and Caldwell Tracts a distance of 132.7 feet to a pipe; thence north 22 degrees 14 1/2 minutes West a distance of 398.7 feet to a point; thence north 65 degrees 52 minutes West at a distance of 62.8 feet intersect the line between United States Private Surveys number 12 and 13; thence north 65 degrees 52 minutes west a distance of 1768.5 feet to a pipe in the line between the Sewell and Anderson Tracts; thence south 82 degrees 02 minutes West along the line between the Sewell and Anderson Tracts a distance of 402.7 feet to the place of beginning, containing in the aggregate, viz: 11,191 acres. Containing in the aggregate, less exception, 275,498 acres.

Whereas, the owner and holder of said indebtedness appointed the undersigned as Substitute Trustee, which appointment of substitute trustee was duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, Missouri; and

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of taxes as provided for in said deed of trust, and default has been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and the holder of said indebtedness has required me to sell the said real estate according to the terms of said deed of trust.

Now Therefore, at the request of the holder and owner of said indebtedness, I, E. C. Pierce, Substitute Trustee, do hereby give notice that by virtue of the power and authority given to me by said deed of trust, and the aforesaid appointment of substitute trustee, I shall proceed to sell the real estate hereinabove and in said deed of trust described, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Scott County Court House at Benton, Missouri, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29, 1936 between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M., and 5 o'clock P. M., on that day beginning at or about the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of satisfying and paying the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and the cost of executing this trust.

Witness my signature this 31st day of July, 1936.

E. C. PIERCE,
Substitute Trustee.
(90-92-94-96)

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SCOUTS FIND RIVER JOURNEY INTERESTING

Good fish, a hunt for Indian relics, a threat, and a little rain helped make a leisurely Boy Scout expedition down the St. Francis river last week very interesting.

C. G. Morrison, the area Scout executive, and fifteen Scouts, including Charles Leonard Kirk and P. D. Malone, left Camp Lewallen early last Monday morning (August 3) to paddle down the river to Fisk.

The St. Francis was very low, and because of rapids near the camp, they had to carry their seven boats every 100 yards until they passed below Sam A. Baker state park. They swam a little and caught so many crappie and bass they grew almost tired of eating fish. And sometimes they stopped to find arrowheads in fields along the bank.

For one day and two nights they stopped at Davidson's Blue Springs, a small resort about ten miles south of Greenville, and although they passed through old Indian country they were threatened only once: at Wappapello. There they camped for the night and several Scouts went to town. As they were returning, the "Blackjacks" group of playful boys stopped them on the road and told them they had an hour to leave their grounds. The Scouts were unconcerned, though and went to bed. At 10:30 they were shaken by a blast of dynamite 200 yards away. No one was hurt, of course, but P. D. Malone was tossed two feet from his bed. They stayed until morning.

P. D. had other troubles, one Scout said. He rode alone in his kayak, and occasionally he had a pretty hard time missing the snags. Most of the other boys had rowboats, but there was one canoe, which Morrison and some Scouts had to guide into camp by flashlight one night after they'd fished too long.

Weather was ideal for the trip. There was only an hour of sunshine, yet skies were clear enough until Saturday morning, when the boys awoke at 3:30 and found rain falling. They got up and packed, and at daylight they set off for Fisk. They reached it at 10 o'clock. Charles Leonard Kirk said they might never have arrived there if they had believed a farmer they questioned. When they asked him the distance to Fisk he said it was seventy-five miles by the government scales. He knew because he used to float logs to the town. The Scouts needed only ten miles to reach it, however. From there George W. Kirk brought his son home and a truck took the other Scouts back to camp.

WOMEN'S CLUB MEET TO BE AT CARUTHERSVILLE

A ninth district meeting of the Missouri federation of women's clubs will be held in Caruthersville on October 15 and 16. Mrs. H. H. Muehlhoff of St. Louis, recently elected president of the federation, announced in Los Angeles, Calif., where she is spending the summer.

CHANEY 4-H CLUB MEETS AT MINNIE BYRD'S HOME

Members of the Chaney 4-H club met at the home of the vice-president, Minnie Lee Byrd. Five members and the leader were present.

Work was done on dresses girls are making, and Minnie Lee Byrd and Mary E. Royal were chosen to give team demonstrations at Benton.

Three girls intend to go to Arcadia the last of the month for a district 4-H club round-up.

EBERT-KREADY TO MEET WITH MRS. ROSS AUG. 20

The Ebert Kready Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. N. Ross Thursday afternoon, August 20, with Mrs. J. L. Tanner assisting. Mrs. J. R. Nolen will be program leader for the afternoon and will have as her subject "He Healeth Our Diseases." Mrs. J. H. Kready will be devotional leader.

The birthday party scheduled to be held this month has been postponed until September, when it will be held at the home of Mrs. G. A. Dempster.

DEPOSITS IN MISSOURI BANKS GAIN \$114,489,240

Deposits in Missouri banks increased \$114,489,240 in the last year while loans gained \$20,761,254 in the same period, according to a recent statement by O. H. Moberly, state finance commissioner. The statement represented the condition of the financial institutions as of June 30.

Total deposits were reported as \$615,775,090 in comparison with \$530,035,081 on deposit June 29, 1935. Loans were announced as \$226,515,130 while a year ago they were \$205,753,876.

The banks reported their resources in bonds and stock at \$335,453,682. Total resources as of June 30 were \$865,765,809, representing a gain of \$113,799,665 in the last year.

That Baron von Drails is referred to as "the father of the bicycle." In 1816 he invented a vehicle to assist him in performing his duties as chief forester to Duke of Baden?

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Personal And Society Items From Matthews

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Binford, D. Pfifer and Bob Spalding spent from Thursday until Saturday at Big Springs and Arcadia.

Miss Helen Waters left Tuesday for St. Louis where she will stay several days visiting relatives.

Mrs. Bob Rushing and daughter, Mrs. Selma Dale were called to St. Louis Monday on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Rushing's brother who was injured in an automobile accident.

Mrs. F. D. Baughlin spent the week end in Canolou with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stroud and children have returned from Evansville, Ind., where they went to get their little daughter Betty, who has been there several weeks visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Mae Burch.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Depro of near Sikeston visited the former parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Depro Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leasie Carruthers, and Mrs. Lois Daugherty of Fredricktown returned Saturday from Kerreville, Texas, where they have been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Britt McGee and daughter, Miss Helen, accompanied Rev. Herschil Yates and Mrs. Yates to Richmond, Tuesday evening where Rev. Yates is assisting with a revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Byrd and children arrived Tuesday from Flint, Mich., to spend several weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Breckenridge of Washington County are visiting at the home of Supt. and Mrs. J. N. Hucklest this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hinton of Dogwood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Godwin.

Mrs. Ben Mills returned home Saturday from Bertrand where she was called on account of the illness of her niece Mrs. Alfred Gossett. Betty Ann Gossett accompanied Mrs. Mills home to spend a few days.

Misses Blanche and Bernice Godman are spending the week in Malden with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Vaughn.

Misses Opal and Mabel Caruther will leave soon for Memphis, where they will attend business college.

That the actual official alien count in this country is 4,564,933 of which 2,141,166 are men and 2,423,767 are women.

Missouri State Fair's 1935 Champion



The Champion Jack at last year's State Fair, exhibited by Heinemann & Son, Dighton, Kans., poses with his owner, Mr. Heinemann, Sr., who is a regular exhibitor at Missouri's Mule and Jack show, to be held August 22-29, 1936, at the Thirty-sixth Missouri State Fair.

BUILDING A BETTER STATE

"Is Insanity Curable?"

By G. Wilse Robinson, Jr., M. D., President, Kansas City Mental Hygiene Society.

The Mental Hygiene Society has worked long and diligently to correct abuses in the treatment of the mentally incompetent, and has achieved wonders, but much is yet to be done.

The present problem consists of defective buildings, undermanned staffs, lack of money for proper treatment and proper research. These conditions must be eradicated if the unfortunate insane are to receive the care to which they are entitled. Many hospitals today have one doctor to four or five hundred patients, one nurse to 20 or 30 patients, and 50 to 100 patient share crowded into one ward built to accommodate 25 or 30.

Research is necessary, because the annual national bill of caring for dementia praecox is \$350,000,000. The wise expenditure of a few thousand might lead us to the solving of the mystery of this disease, and if cure were effected the ultimate expenditure for the care of this condition would be a fraction of what it is today.

These conditions can only exist,

and the stagnation in the mental health attitude of our people can only continue, when the public is disinterested. For that reason, Missouri needs a Mental Hygiene Society, first to educate and remove all of the mysteries surrounding these conditions, bring people to the realization that proper treatment will cure many conditions that today are considered incurable, make them willing to dig deeper into their pockets to finance a proper state hospital program because they can see that a minor expenditure now may lead to a tremendous saving in the future.

And finally, this aroused public opinion will force those few who might be delinquent of their responsibilities to change their ways and bring Missouri to its proper place in leadership in mental health.

Therefore, I ask the cooperation of all who might be interested in this problem, both from a personal standpoint and from the standpoint of social obligations, to cooperate and to communicate with either the Kansas City Mental Hygiene Society or the Missouri Mental Hygiene Society with headquarters in St. Louis, so that their names may be placed on the mailing list and they may be kept informed as to the steps taken to organize a Missouri Mental Hygiene Committee in fact

as well as in name. And if they should be interested in organizing local societies for the purposes of education, please call upon one of the above groups so that they may help such organizations get started and become a force in the community.

Dr. McMullin Will Take Special Course At Denver

Dr. B. L. McMullin will leave Saturday morning for Denver, Colo., where he will take a special course for two weeks at The Denver Polytechnic and Post-Graduate College, specializing in Orthodontic Surgery, (Rectal Diseases) Dr. McMullin will return to Sikeston September 1. During his absence his office will be closed.

COUNTY CORN CONDITION 38 PER CENT OF NORMAL

Scott county farmers have reported corn condition to be 38 per cent of normal as of August 1 this year, compared with the August 1, 1930, condition of 25 per cent; 1934 of 36 per cent; 1935 of 57 per cent; and the five-year average (1929-1933) of 58 per cent.

They reported oats on August 1, 1936, at a condition of 51 per cent, compared with the condition on August 1, 1930, of 50 per cent; in 1934 of 57 per cent; 1935 of 45 per cent; and the five-year average of 51 per cent.

Columbia, Mo., Aug. 13.—According to reports received from farmers by E. A. Logan, division of crop and livestock estimates, bureau of agricultural economics, corn condition as of August 1, 1936, was 20 per cent, compared to 12 per cent on August 1, 1934, and indicating a production of 40,032,000 bushels for the state, compared with 32,012,000 bushels in 1934. The majority of counties report corn condition as slightly better than in 1934.

The wheat yield is reported at 15 bushels per acre, a total production of 29,760,000 bushels, compared with a yield of 15.1 bushels and production of 24,704,000 bushels in 1934.

Oats show a condition of 58 per cent compared with 20 per cent on August 1, 1934, indicating a total production of 29,682,000 bushels compared with the 1934 production of 15,249,000 bushels. The 1936 yield per acre of 18 compares with 13 in 1934.

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Pastures declined from a condition of 40 per cent on July 1, 1936, to 14 per cent on August 1, 1936, compared with 12 per cent on August 1, 1934.

Clover-timothy hay and alfalfa hay will show increased production over 1934, the 1936 clover-timothy production of 868,450 tons comparing with 580,000 tons and alfalfa production of 360,000, comparing with 332,000 tons in 1934.

The balance of the crops as a whole reflect slightly better conditions than in 1934 and the feed situation is better than in 1934. Grasshopper damage appears to be most severe in the north central, northwest, and west central sections, although some damage is widespread.

Jack Tar had just arrived at the old home cottage after voyaging about for a number of years. "Well, Mother," he said heartily, "How did you like the parrot I sent you?" "Well," said his old mother dubiously, "it was nice and plump, but my, it was tough."

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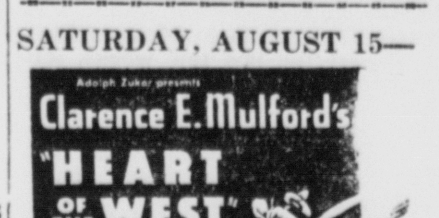
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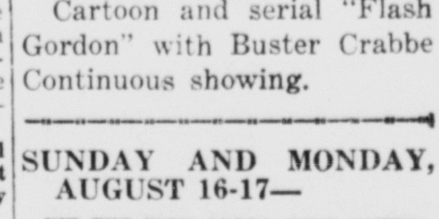
SATURDAY, AUGUST 15—



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SUNDAY AND MONDAY, AUGUST 16-17—

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Joe E. Brown in "Earthworm Tractors" with June Travis, Guy Kibbee, Dick Foran, Carol Hughes, Gene Lockhart. A First National Picture.

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Personal and Society News From Oran

Miss Louanna Fulenwider was a recent Sunday visitor in St. Louis, going up with Sikeston friends to meet her sister, Mrs. Dell Marston who has been in Kentucky for some time visiting her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Womack spent Sunday fishing in Current river.

Z. A. Heisserer and family were guests Sunday at a lamb barbecue in New Madrid.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Womack were in Cape Girardeau last Friday.

Mrs. Dick Alfulis came home Sunday from Farmington where she has been the past week with Mrs. Alfulis.

Mrs. May Fulenwider and daughter Mrs. Dell Marston went to Marston one day last week. They were accompanied as far as Sikeston by Mrs. W. B. Myers. Mrs. Marston is a member of the school faculty at Marston, her school commencing this week.

Mrs. Gladys Sikes and baby son came home Friday of last week from the S. E. Mo. hospital at Cape Girardeau. Mrs. Mary Green was dismissed last week also and Mrs. Ralph Moddox who was a surgical patient is at home.

Mrs. Hale, mother of Mrs. Jas. DePriest spent Saturday night at the home of her daughter. The Hale's are moving to St. Louis from Fulton, Kentucky.

Mrs. Dick Benson and daughter Miss Gail are visiting home folks in Mountain Grove. Mrs. Benson's sister came from Chicago for a short visit and accompanied them to Mountain Grove.

Ellis Ates is home from an extended visit in St. Louis. Marion Murphy of Morley was a business visitor here Friday of last week.

Simon Banks of Cape Girardeau had business here Saturday and Monday.

Mrs. Frank Crader and daughters, Mrs. Frank and children, Mrs. Zimmerman and son Bobby and Miss Thelma Crader were in Cape Girardeau Saturday.

Missus Bill Hunsford and Jess Chas. H. Hunsford came Saturday night to accompany Mrs. Frank and children home Sunday. Miss Wilma Crader returned to the city with them and Mrs. Geraldine Zimmerman and son accompanied them as far as Farnfield.

Fred Bowman was up from Morehouse and went to Farnfield Monday accompanied by J. F. Crader.

Sons of Mrs. Virgin Morrison have day night for a visit with Gordon Reynolds and other friends. He reports the family as well pleased with their home in Troy.

Rev. Layton received word Saturday that his cousin, Mrs. Bruce was one of the ladies who was drowned at Cairo. Mrs. Bruce had been visiting Rev. Layton's parents at Sikeston.

The Morrison boys of Sikeston, The tiny baby at the Rube Tindall home is seriously ill.

Mr. Walls took charge of the Mo. Pac. section crew August 1st, after a several months absence due to ill health. Mr. Bess who has been taking Mr. Wall's place the past five months was transferred to Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lloyd and small son of Jackson were here over the week end. They were in Portageville Sunday.

Miss Neva Mason of Commerce has been a guest at the Emory Mason home.

Friends here have received cards announcing the arrival of Miss Nancy Friend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Bollinger in St. Louis. This is the first child. Mrs. Francis Friend has been in St. Louis making the acquaintance of her new granddaughter.

Municipal Opera Presents Victor Herbert's Extravaganza "The Red Mill"

St. Louis, Mo., August 10.—Victor Herbert's gay and amusing operetta extravaganza, "The Red Mill," will be the Municipal Opera's eleventh offering of the 1936 season. The production's initial performance will be given next Monday night, August 17, at the outdoor theatre in Forest Park.

George Price, famous comedian, will return to head a special cast of merrymakers that will be seen in the Herbert piece. Price will play the comedy role of "Kid" Conner while the part of his partner-in-humor, "Con" Kidder, will be taken by the other popular Municipal Opera mirth-provoker, Gil Lamb.

Ruby Mercer, whose golden soprano voice leaves a deeper impression each time she sings before opera goers, will appear in the title feminine role of Gretchen. William Hain, brilliant lyrical tenor, will play the role of the sentimental lover, Capt. Doris Van Damm. Joseph Macaulay will be seen as burgomaster Jan Van Borkem. Audrey Christie, comedienne, will be seen as the perky Tina. Others in the cast include Zamah Cunningham, June Havoce, Bertram Peacock, Al Downing, Detmar Poppen and John Cherry.

As part of the fun features scheduled for the Herbert offering will be the debut of Jack Powell, sensational musical comedian. The comedian has been featured in all the principal vaudeville theatres in this country as well as in musical stage successes.

"The Red Mill" proved to be one of the biggest successes of Herbert's career. It was presented for the first time anywhere on

County Displays at State Fair



A typical county agricultural display from Morgan County, winner of first award at a previous State Fair. Such displays will again be featured in the Agriculture building at Missouri State Fair, August 22-29.

NEW MADRID COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS

By Milus R. Davis
Point Pleasant has just finished building a new primary room to the Ward School. Last year the primary teacher held school in a rented building. Previous to that, one teacher tried to handle from 60 to 80 pupils. Schools opened August 3 with Earl Washburn and Eva Smith as teachers at Ward and Kathleen O'Kelley at town. W. H. Lander is the colored teacher.

The Scott District, near Portageville, is completing a splendid two-room building at a cost of about \$3500, which will be one of the nicest rural schools in the county and will be as comfortable as a brick building which would have cost twice as much. The foundation is concrete and the frame is first covered with one-inch lumber nailed on diagonally, then a layer of composition storm sheeting with weather boarding on the outside. The ceiling is of composition fiber. These four layers of protection make a warm building. The floor is double, the first layer being put on diagonally. The base is 25 by 70 with an 8 by 32 projection in front for hall and cloak rooms. Each room will be 25 by 35 with a row of large windows on the side reaching nearly to the ceiling. Mr. Cunningham of Portageville is the contractor and builder and B. C. Wrather of the school board is the timekeeper and supervisor. The old building burned this spring a week before the end of the school term.

The new State Courses of Study have been received. Again this year they are in skeleton form being merely a summary of the 1933-34 course, but next year we are to have a brand new course. However, we hope that the outline is not altered too much especially where our textbooks follow the course so well.

Conran has just completed a new colored school building in the western part of the district. Johnnie P. Jones moved in there about two years ago and brought with him a number of colored families. The new teacher is Chas. H. Ward of Carbondale. Conran already had two colored schools. Their schools opened August 3 with Sterling G. Croell as superintendent. The faculty has been reported previously. The school board members are: Albert Hoggard, President; T. A. Penman, Secretary; Charles Pikey, Treasurer; J. F. Litzell, J. C. Elicman; D. M. Smith; Cody Sweeney.

The University of Missouri hospital provided a free clinic for crippled children at New Madrid last Saturday. Children under 15 were examined and recommendations for treatment made. Modern surgery almost makes miracles in correcting human defects.

Kewanee schools opened August 10 with Lynn M. Twitty as superintendent and faculty as follows: Milford Ellis, Oma Koepfel, Edith Hinek of Whitewater, Ruth Moore of Sikeston, Alma Keller of Chaffee, Alice Deane of Matthews, Catherine Dryer of Festus, and Ruby McGuire of Malden. Colored teachers are W. A. Boone and wife. School board members are: C. V. Hunott, President; U. P. Daugherty, Secretary; Mrs. Fred Hefflage, Treasurer; Curtis Wescott; S. C. Beeson; R. G. Brotherton; Sam E. Billington; Fred A. Hefflage.

Gideon schools began August 3 with L. B. Hoy serving his twenty-first year as superintendent. Mr. Hoy states that they are making

the second trial to get a new building under the PWA. In the first effort they failed to sell the bonds because of the state supreme court dissolving the consolidation and throwing them back under the old organization. Gideon town district No. 37. In the second effort they voted \$50,000 bonds and are now waiting for the government to appropriate the money for their part of the PWA Project. The new building is to cost \$90,100.00 in which the state pays \$2000.00, the Federal Government \$39,600, and the local district \$40,500. It is planned to have 16 class rooms, a study hall, and a gymnasium.

The teaching staff at Gideon this year is: Jas. F. Miller, E. P. Crow, Nettie Jackson, Marie Cunningham, Mary Parker, Stella Gaebler, Florence Westmyer, Duane Axtell, G. W. Carson, A. R. Pierce, Dewey Swindell, Ona Weston, Kathryn Schmuck, Marjorie Anderson, Pauline Milburn, Alice Rhodes, Jessie McCullough, Mary Lee, Eugene Spickelmier, Flora Mae Hoy, Louise Lee, Edna Randolph, Willard Johnson,

N. R. Pierce, Paul Dixon, Rose Marie Tinsley, John Dickey, Ralph LaBrot, Chas. Ferguson, and Eugene Clayton (colored).

RADIO AMATEURS WANTED

The U. S. Naval Communication Reserve has openings for several hundred qualified amateur radio operators in the State of Missouri and the southern portion of the State of Illinois. Men enrolled must pass a physical examination, have an operators' license, or pass a code test. An opportunity is afforded members to have active duty with Naval Reserve Drill Units on the Summer cruises. Weekly drills are held over the air in regular Navy procedure. Members are expected to take part in these drills. Young men are enabled to practice their hobby, and prepare themselves to be of value to the Nation in time of emergency.

Further information may be obtained by contacting the Navy Recruiting Station, New Federal Building, St. Louis, Missouri.

BILL MALONE MAKES LOW MEDAL SCORE IN TOURNEY

Bill Malone was awarded a gold medal and six golf balls Sunday when he turned in the low medal score in a state-wide high-way employees' golf tournament in Jefferson City. Malone shot an 80 to become ranking player among division members. Scores of the state office players were not included in the competition. St. Joseph division men won the tournament and a trophy. Division ten was represented by Eddie Mathis, W. E. Mahew, L. R. Burns, Frank Hequemberg, Don

Hearnes, H. A. Trowbridge, and Bill Malone.

ON MOTOR TRIP

Charles Leonard Kirk and Reese Stoner of Springfield, Mo., left Tuesday morning for a motor trip to New Orleans, Miami, Fla., and many other interesting cities, including Washington, D. C., and New York City. They expect to be away until the first of September.

F. D. Lair transacted business in St. Louis the first of the week.

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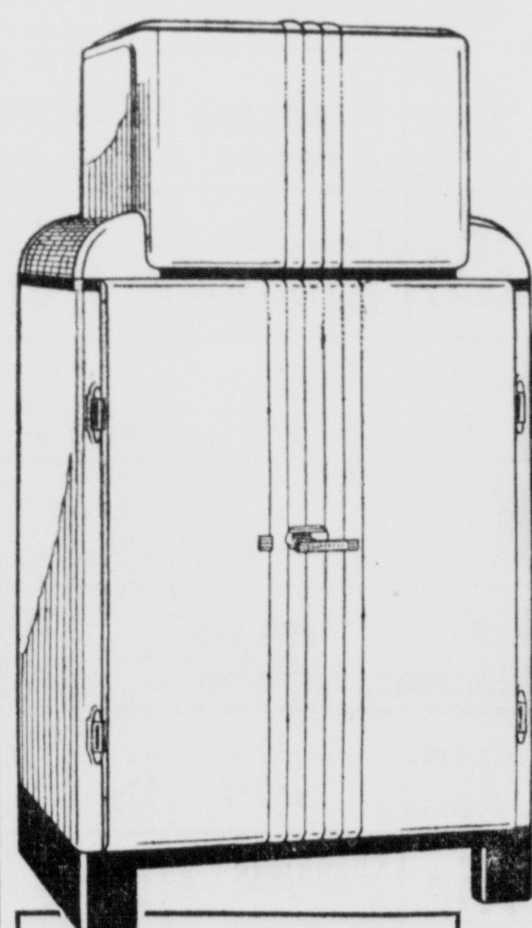
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...has no moving parts

...makes cold from kerosene

Just touch a match to the burners once each day. That's all you have to do. Everything else is automatic. Your foods stay safely cold. You can freeze a plentiful supply of ice cubes—make unusual chilled salads and frozen desserts. And it's all done so quietly and at such little expense that you can scarcely believe your own eyes.

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5. Eliminates thousands of steps each day.
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9. Saves time.
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11. Protects the health of your family.
12. Adds variety to your menus.

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Superfex makes cold by burning kerosene and uses very little of it. The burners stay lighted for about two hours, then go out automatically. This makes all the cold you need for a whole day and night! Superfex, with its short burning time, brings you modern refrigeration in its most economical form.

8 years on the market

Though you may now be reading about Superfex for the first time, it has been on the market for more than eight years. And those that were bought at the very beginning are still operating as efficiently as they did when

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THE OIL BURNING REFRIGERATOR
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The new Phoenix Hosiery styles and colors are so smart! You must see them. 70c, \$1.00, and \$1.25.

THE BUCKNER BAGSDALE CO.

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BARGAINS FOR CASH

2 Electrolux Refrigerators priced at \$169.00 and \$199.50—3 piece Bedroom Suite \$24.50.

WOLF FURNITURE COMPANY

GIRL OR WOMAN—We have a plan that will enable you to build a profitable and pleasant business in your community. Experience not needed. Youth Cosmetic Co., Delmar at Belt, St. Louis, Mo. 11-92

FOR RENT—5, 3, or 2 unfurnished rooms with bath. Corner Gladys and Southwest Sts. 11-86

FOR RENT—2 rooms for light housekeeping. Modern house. 403 North St. 11-91

FOR SALE—1 used Majestic Cook Stove, \$10.00. Phone 68. 11-92

FOR RENT—4 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, water in rooms. 311 N. New Madrid St., 1 block north of postoffice. Phone 516. 11-69

GRAPES FOR SALE—See R. H. Montgomery, Southwest St. and Murray Lane. Sikeston. 11-92

FENCE POSTS—Red Cedar and black Walnut. Large size, 15c each delivered truck load lots. Wm. Newberry, Smithville, Ark. 21-91

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 547. 11-92

ROOMS FOR RENT—Mrs. Maude Sitzes, 204 N. Scott. Phone 558-W. 11-87

FOR SALE—Underwood Portable typewriter, practically new, price reasonable. Call Standard Office. 11-92

FOR RENT—2 modern sleeping rooms. 627 Greer Ave. Phone 455. 11-92

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms. 506 W. Gladys, Phone 537. 11-91

FOR RENT—4-room house with bath. 106 William. Phone 73. 11-91

FOR RENT—4-room unfurnished apartment. Phone 519. 21-91

LAND FOR SALE

843.00 acres of cut-over timber land, Bollinger County, Missouri, Section 31, Twp. 28, Range 9, suitable for pasture land, 3.4 miles from highway, with drainage tax for 1935 and prior years fully paid, price \$844.00. Will sell all or part, subject to prior sale and state and county taxes, about \$1.50 per acre additional.

175.00 acres cleared land, Stoddard County, Missouri, Section 16, Township 26, Range 12, on all weather road, good soil, fair buildings, fenced, with drainage tax for 1935 and prior years fully paid, price \$2500.00, subject to prior sale and all state and county taxes, about \$2.00 per acre additional.

314.00 acres, Stoddard County, Missouri, Section 25, Township 26, Range 12, about 190 acres cleared, drainage ditch on west line, good land, fair improvements, drainage taxes for 1935 and prior taxes fully paid, price \$1500.00, subject to prior sale and all state and county taxes, about \$2.00 per acre additional.

For additional information or complete land list, write to The Little River Drainage District, Cape Girardeau, Missouri. 88-90-92.

FIRST CREDITORS' MEETING

In the District Court of the United States for the Southeastern Division of the Eastern Judicial District of Missouri.

In the matter of Eugene Lynch, Sikeston, Mo., Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy No. 1932.

To the creditors of Eugene Lynch of Sikeston, Missouri, and District aforesaid, Bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on August 13, 1936, said Eugene Lynch was adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned Referee in Bankruptcy, in the Cahoon Bldg., in the City of Cape Girardeau, State of Missouri, on Monday, August 24th, 1936, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time and place the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

At said meeting the creditors will consider the advisability of the sale of all the assets, real estate and personal property of said estate at public or private sale, subject to approval or confirmation by the court.

Cape Girardeau, Mo., August 13, 1936.

JOSEPH L. MOORE,

Referee in Bankruptcy.

Trade and industrial activity continued to make a highly favorable showing during July, notwithstanding the drought, says the August monthly letter of the National City Bank. Wholesale buying for the fall season has been gratifying, the review states, while retail sales record large gains over last year.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pitman, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pitman and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Moll spent Sunday on Current river.

Mrs. Ben Carroll, Mrs. Allen Moccabee and Mrs. B. Patterson spent Wednesday in Paducah, Ky. Mrs. Carroll visited at the home of Mrs. J. C. Saunders where Miss Elaria Carroll has been a guest the last three weeks.

Miss Margaret and Miss Hita Clymer, Miss Wilma Ragains and Miss Dorothea Miller motored to Kansas City, Jefferson City and Columbia, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Moring Clark and sons Ben and Moring Jr., of Plant City, Fla., arrived Wednesday afternoon for a two-weeks visit with Mrs. Clark's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilbur.

We received a card Thursday from Harry and David Blanton postmarked Montreal, Canada, saying the weather was delightful and they were enjoying their vacation immensely. In the same mail came a card from Stella Cullen, Mrs. Blanton's youngest sister, written from Cambridge, England, saying she was leaving the next day for points in Austria. Stella is supervisor of girls athletics in the Philadelphia schools.

WOMAN IS CHARGED WITH KILLING FATHER FOR \$200

A warrant charging her with

poisoning her father, W. G. Bond, who died unexpectedly three years ago, was issued Thursday against Mrs. Beulah Fortner, 30-year-old wife of a Stoddard county farmer, Aubrey Edwards, 21, a neighbor, was arrested as a material witness and released under a \$5000 bond.

Sheriff George A. Barham said Mrs. Fortner was beneficiary of a \$200 life insurance policy Bond carried. Mrs. Fortner is said to have paid Edwards and another man to buy poison, which she allegedly put in home brew she gave to Bond.

NEPHEW OF MRS. DARBY DIED TUESDAY MORNING

Mrs. Fanny Darby received word Wednesday of the death of her nephew, Claude Olson, at Fort Worth, Texas, Tuesday morning. His body was sent to Chicago, Ill., for burial. Besides Mr. Darby he is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ruth Olson, Ft. Worth, and sister, Mrs. Blanche Hawson, Chicago.

WAHITE DITCH TO BE WIDENED FOR 5 MILES

The board of supervisors of the Little river drainage district will receive bids in Cape Girardeau Monday for a project to widen the Wahite ditch in Stoddard county for five and a quarter miles in order that storm water during heavy rains may be carried away satisfactorily.

The project will include excavation of 758,000 cubic yards of earth. The ditch will be widened

at its intersection with Highway 60 from 80 to 120 feet. If weather is favorable, the undertaking will be completed in a few months.

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN'S PAGEANT ON SEPT. 1ST

Mrs. John G. Powell and Mrs. Ed Kendall went to Cape Girardeau Wednesday afternoon to attend a committee meeting of the tenth district Democratic Women's club. At that time arrangements were completed for the pageant which will be presented in Houck stadium on the night of September 1st, instead of August 18, as first planned. The program will commemorate the first anniversary of the club and each county in the district will participate in it.

A birthday dinner at the Marquette Hotel will precede the program and will be attended by the National speaker and other distinguished persons invited to the celebration.

FARMERS TO SAVE FEED AND CONTROL PARASITE

Scott county farmers are showing "intense interest" in plans to save feed, F. B. Veatch, the county agent, told The Standard this week.

One hundred and twenty-five farmers gathered in the Benton community building Monday night to discuss methods of overcoming the drought damage, and at Sikeston, thirty-five men met at the arena Wednesday afternoon to talk of the same project.

Drought damage is not noticeable

RECOVERY NOTES

(Compiled by Dwight H. Brown, Secretary of State.)

Shoe production increased 6.8 per cent in Missouri during the first half of 1936, the U. S. Census Bureau reports. Production in the state rose during the period from 20,737,886 in the first half of 1935 to 22,149,307 this year.

The heaviest freight loadings since 1931 are reported for the first 30 weeks of this year by the American Association of Railroads. Loadings for the period totaled 19,416,417 cars, an increase of 11.7 per cent above the corresponding period of 1935.

Motor car output for the week ending August 1 totaled 97,755, as compared with 69,615 in the corresponding week of last year, Ward's Reports, Inc., estimates.

Business failures in the United States are decreasing. For the week ending June 30 they num-

bered 175 as compared with 191 in the same week a year ago, Dun & Bradstreet reports.

Postal receipts at the Sedalia, Mo., postoffice for the first six months of 1936 increased approximately \$25,000 over the like 1935 period improved business conditions is the cause.

Sales of dry goods in the Eighth Federal Reserve District, which includes St. Louis, were 30.9 per cent greater this June than in the like 1935 month, says the monthly review of the St. Louis Federal Reserve Bank. For the first half of 1936, production and distribution in the district were at their best for any six-month period in the last five years.

Class 1 railways of the nation earned \$238,243,934 net operating income during the first six months of 1936, an increase of 22.5 per cent over the same period a year ago, the Association of American Railroads announces. Gross operating revenues for the period to-

taled \$1,872,928,867, a gain of 14.5 per cent over the first half of 1935.

Share values on the New York Stock Exchange increased \$3,134,000,000 during July, the Exchange announces. It placed the market value of listed shares on August 1 at \$54,066,925,315 compared with \$50,912,398,322 on July 1 and \$38,913,092,713 on August 1, 1935.

The Edison Electric Institute reported sales of household electric refrigerators in the United States during June totaled 237,371, against 161,526 in June, 1935. For the six months ended June 30 sales were 1,441,559, against 1,105,473 a year ago.

Judge: "Who was driving when you hit that car?"

Culprit (triumphantly, about three sheets in the wind): "None of us, Judge; we was all sitting in the back seat."

The Sikeston Standard \$2 per year

Kroger's The Complete Food Market

These Prices Good for Friday and Saturday, August 14 and 15

O.K. Yellow Laundry Soap 10 large bars 25c

New Crop Peaches Rosedale or Large No. 15c
Avondale 2 1-2 can

SALMON Country Club, fancy 23c Fancy Pink or 10c
red, tall can Chum, tall can

COFFEE C. CLUB 25c FRENCH 20c JEWEL, 3 pounds 47c
pound 1 lb. bag 16c

WESCO Crackers Salted or Plain 2 lb. box 15c
Finest Brand MATCHES, 6 boxes 15c

Country Club Green ASPARAGUS Fall No. 2 can 19c
Country Club Apple Butter 38 ounce jar 15c

Clifton Toilet Tissue 5 rolls 19c
Country Club HOMINY 3 No. 2 1-2 cans 25c

DOGGIE DINNER 3 16-ounce cans 25c
Embassy Mustard, qt. jar 10c
Avondale Vinegar, qt. bottle

Kool-Aid or Asst. 6 25c
Drink-Aid flavors pkg.
Puritan Brand Rootbeer Extract, bot. 10c

Shortening Snow white 12c
Finest lard substitute, pound

SUGAR CURED BACON Good Whole or 26c
quality half side, pound

BEEF Kroger Quality ROAST CHOICE 20c FIRST CUTS 17c
CUTS, Pound Pound

SLICED BACON Kroger extra .34 lb. Sliced bacon no .29
quality, no rind rind no waste lb.

Hamburger Fresh Ground 2 lbs. 25c
Shankless Hams lb. 23c

Oleo Superfine brand 2 lbs. 23c
Sugar Cured Bacon Butts, pound 20c

PEANUT BUTTER bulk 2 lbs. 25c
MINCED HAM, lb. 15c

Bananas Golden Yellow dozen 15c

GRAPES, pound 10c

Oranges Size 216 dozen 33c

Lemons Size 360 dozen 25c

Yellow Onions 10 lbs. 29c

Mid-Summer Clearance

ALL SUMMER MERCHANDISE INCLUDED

Reductions From 1/3 to 1/2
SILK AND WASH DRESSES MUST GO

Room must be made for daily arrivals of New Fall Goods

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\$10-75-\$12.75 Silk Dresses, now \$6.77
\$6.98 Silk Dresses now \$4.77
\$5.98 Silk Dresses now \$3.77
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ENTIRE REMAINING STOCK

\$1.98 and \$2.98

Wash Silk Dresses
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